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Grayling Man Dies In House Fire

Lawrence McNeill, 63, of 2755 S. Grayling Road, died in a house fire Wednesday, March 12. A Crawford County Sheriff Dept. report said McNeill died of smoke inhalation and his body was discovered in the hallway near bedroom in the two-story house in Beaver Creek Township. The cause of the blaze is believed to be a wood stove and the State Police Fire Marshall has been called in to help with the investigation. The fire was reported at 11:51 p.m. by a neighbor and the house was engulfed in flames when the Beaver Creek Fire Dept. arrived. The Grayling Fire Dept. was called in to assist and firemen spent more than eight hours at the scene. The home was listed as a total loss except for the garage.

Grayling Man Injured in Accident

Doug Neilson, 38, of Grayling, was seriously injured Wednesday evening, March 12, in a pedestrian-car accident along the I-75 business loop near the Charles St. intersection. A city police report says statements from the occupants of the vehicle indicated Neilson accidentally walked into the side of the moving vehicle. No charges were filed against the driver of the vehicle. The accident occurred about 8:10 p.m.

Committee To Oppose Catch-and-Release

Holding Public Meeting Wed., March 26

The Committee To Oppose Catch-and-Release will hold a public meeting at the American Legion Hall in Grayling 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 26, to update the public on their efforts. The committee is seeking a court injunction against a new catch-and-release rule, and they've prompted a resolution introduced in the Michigan legislature to rescind the Natural Resources Commission ruling on catch-and-release.

3rd Annual Science Fair Has More Than 200 Projects

Crawford-AuSable Schools will host the 3rd Annual Science Fair at the Grayling High School gymnasium Thursday, March 20th, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. This year's offerings will include over 200 projects district wide.

The public is invited to attend the event and share in honoring the work of the community's young people.

The top four entries in each category selected by a panel of judges will receive individual recognition. The top three classroom projects will be awarded plaques for room display. Each participant will receive a certificate for any entry. The projects are broken down into the categories: Classroom (Lower Elementary), Lower Elementary (K-3), Upper Elementary (4-5), Middle School and High School.

School Bus Transfers Changed

During the week of March 17-21, high school students who ride buses will be transported directly to the high school with no transfer between buses at the Middle School in the morning.

This change in bus transfers is to reduce congestion at the Middle School site and to prepare for new bus routes in the 1986-87 school year with the closing of the Middle School for construction purposes.

During the week of March 24-28, changes in busing for high school students living in town will be implemented.

Benefit Dance for Area Mentally Handicapped on March 21

A benefit dance will be held from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the K of C Hall Friday, March 21. Live music will be performed by the local band "The High Society Wives", who will be donating their time. The event is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and all proceeds go to help the area mentally handicapped children. Tickets are \$2.50.

Last Chance to Downhill Ski

Last day for downhill skiing at Hanson Hills will be this Thursday, March 20, 1986. Cross country skiing will continue for the time being.

Chamber Hosts 131 Highway Meeting

The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce will be holding a Transportation Committee Meeting on Thursday, March 20, 1986, 7:00 p.m. at the Chief Shoppeagons Hotel.

The subject will be the proposed Interstate 131 Highway and its future in our area. We will discuss objectives and strategies.

If you are a member of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, you are welcome to attend.

Blood Bank at High School

Wednesday, March 26th is the day!
From 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. is the time!

The gym of Grayling High School is the place!
And the Student Red Cross Volunteers are manning the

Bank, headed by Tina Meldrum and Kim McDonough and Jenni Branch.

So, you wonderful Blood Donors of Crawford County, mark your Calendars and make arrangements to come and give a pint of your precious blood to keep some needing fellow citizen healthy and alive!

If you need a ride to get to the High School, Dial-A-Ride will come and pick you up and bring you back home for free if you come to give a pint! Just dial 348-5409!

Help our High Schoolers set a new record for achievement! They are trying to make this Grayling High School Bank the best yet!

State levels of funding for special education

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Reynolds said the rejecting of the special education budget would show the state they are unhappy without hurting C.O.O.R.

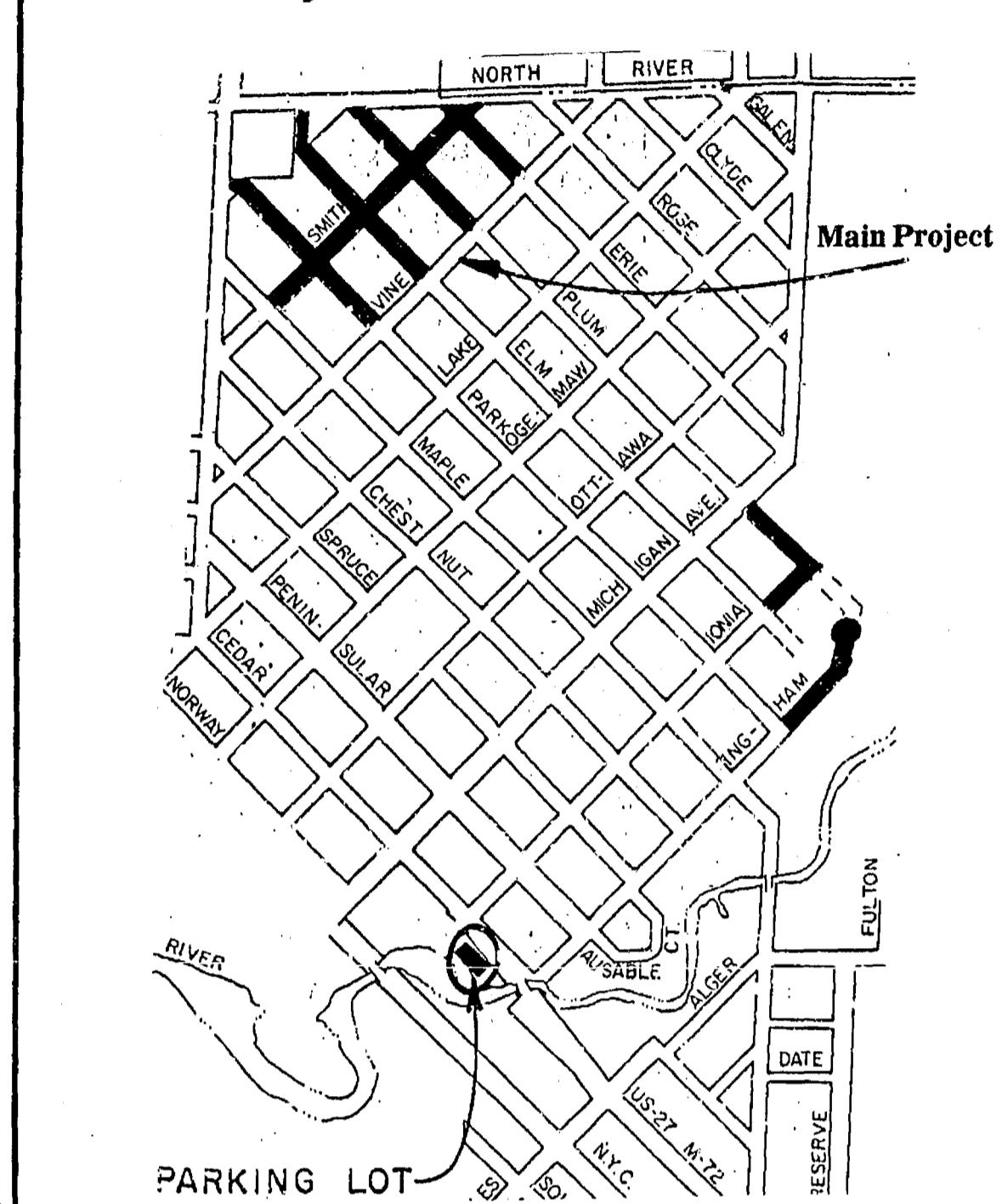
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Mercy Hospital Proposes Upgrading Ambulance Corps

Crawford County Commissioners are considering a proposal that would upgrade the capability of the Crawford County ambulance corps following a presentation made by officials at Mercy Hospital, Grayling, during last Tuesday's commissioners' meeting.

The Mercy Hospital proposal encouraged county commissioners to participate on a proposed Medical Control Authority Board for Crawford and Roscommon counties, and upgrade the county ambulance corps to provide limited advanced life support services.

"Mercy Hospital is prepared to work with Crawford County to implement both the Medical Control Authority Board and Limited Advanced Life Support Service," Sister Mary Ellen Howard, RSM, President and Chief Executive Officer at Mercy told the board. She added, "The Michigan Department of Public Health has a goal to establish a Medical Control Authority Board for every county by the end of this year."

The Medical Control Authority Board organizes and adopts minimum standards of pre-hospital medical care, protocols and operational procedures for all advanced, limited, advanced, non-emergency transporting and basic mobile emergency care services within the county. In addition, the board provides a means for communication, coordination of emergency medical services, medical accountability, training and

disaster preparedness.

"The establishment of a Medical Control Board will increase the quality of patient care and conserve valuable resources," commented Sister Mary Ellen.

Members of the local control board would include various persons involved in emergency medical services, such as hospital emergency room personnel, pharmacists, EMS personnel and county representatives. In the proposal, Mercy Hospital asked commissioners to participate on the board, by recommending a commissioner to serve on the Medical Control Authority Board.

Commissioners were also asked to approve training of those county ambulance corps members who are basic EMTs to become EMT Specialists; and provide the purchase of equipment necessary to operate the Limited Advanced Life Support system. Mercy Hospital has agreed to provide EMT Specialist training at the hospital, and also offered assistance to the county in funding the training program for the first group.

Currently most county ambulance corps members are basic EMTs and the average training cost to become an EMT Specialist is about \$350 per person. Equipment cost to upgrade county ambulances for Limited Advanced Life Support is about \$3,000 for each ambulance. Most of that cost is for radio equipment to allow communication

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Local School Districts Protest Reduced State Special Ed. Funding

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In a related action, the Crawford AuSable Board directed the C.O.O.R. district to seek reimbursement from the state for certain special education programs. The Headlee Amendment passed in 1979 prohibits the reduction of state funding for state mandated programs. A recent Michigan Supreme Court ruling said the state can not reduce funding for necessary costs for programs required by the state such as special education.

State levels of funding for special education

City Plans \$275,000

For '86 Street Work

The City of Grayling is expected to spend about \$275,000 this year for its annual street improvement program.

This is the 14th year of the city's street program and the main project this year is an eleven block area on the north side of town.

Four blocks of Smith street, from Maple to North Down River Road, is slated for underground storm drains and street paving. The other streets scheduled for the storm drains and paving are two blocks of Park, from Vine to I-75 Business Loop, two blocks of Elm, from Vine to North Down River Road, two blocks of Plum, from Vine to North Down River Road, and one block of Erie, from Vine to North Down River Road.

If the bids for the main project come in low enough, the city has three alternate projects slated.

The first one is improving one block each of Ionia and Plum with paving and drains. The second one is to improve the end of Ingam Street and turn it into a cul-de-sac. City manager Jerry Morford said there isn't much need for a through street there and

changing it into a cul-de-sac would reduce through traffic. He said reducing through traffic would make the area much safer during football games. Spectators would still be able to park in the area.

The third project is paving the parking lot of the city park.

If there isn't enough money for all the alternate projects, the paving of the city park lot would be cut first. The Ingham Street improvement would be cut next, and the Ionia-Plum improvement would be cut last.

Morford said bids will probably be opened around April 8 and let April 14. Construction could start May 1-15 and the projects could be completed by mid-August.

He said these projects should not cause a great deal of traffic disruption because most of the streets are in residential areas and are not through roads.

The street program is mainly funded through city income tax. Grayling is one of only 16 cities in the state to have a city income tax and all of the money collected goes into the street program. This is the 14th year for both the income tax and street program.

State Salutes Grayling High As One of Best Schools

It's official. Tuesday night Grayling High School was selected as one of the best high schools in the state through the 1985-86 Michigan Secondary School Recognition Program.

The Michigan Department of Education announced Grayling High School as a Michigan Exemplary High School.

This is the third year of the secondary recognition in Michigan. Only 25 high schools out of 780 in the state have been honored.

This is the first year of the recognition program that an on-site inspection was performed. Rod Place, principal for St. Joseph Public High School, was the observer sent to Grayling and he said he was very pleased with what he saw.

"I'm very impressed. The community is really involved here. The teachers are doing a good job, there is support from parents,

and the students are serious about learning, have pride in their school, yet are able to enjoy themselves. All the essential things are here," said Place, whose school won exemplary status last year.

Place said he borrowed some ideas from Grayling High School for his larger school. He also said one of the most important standards considered in the judging was "Is the school giving the community what it wants?" Place said Grayling High School was a community high school and doing a good job giving the community what it wants in education.

When GHS was nominated for the exemplary award, Superintendent Kent Reynolds said it was a real plus for the community and a fantastic honor for the school district. GHS Principal said the honor speaks well for the students, staff, and entire community. He said it takes a team effort to produce a good program.

City Income Taxpayers Can Correct Mistakes

If you have questions about your Grayling city income tax returns, for this year or previous years, now is the time to contact the city office.

State income tax information recently became available to the city, and the city is cross-checking city and state income tax returns.

Over the last 13 years, the city has discovered workers in the city reported as much as \$1.3 million more income on their state returns than on city returns.

City attorney David Sabin said some of the differences can probably be explained. Additionally, some of the differences can be simple mistakes. That's how the city is viewing them right now. The city is offering an amnesty program March 1 to April 30 for taxpayers to come in and correct their mistakes.

After the amnesty period ends, the city intends to prosecute persons who have purposely filed incorrect tax forms or have illegally not filed at all.

All city residents must pay Grayling tax regardless of where they earn their wages. Any non-resident who performs 25 percent or more of their work in the city of Grayling must pay income tax. A resident pays one percent tax and a non-resident pays one half of one percent tax.

The \$1.3 million difference in reported income over the last 13 years could mean up to \$13,000 extra in taxes for the city based on the one percent residence tax. (The Avalanche last week incorrectly reported as much as \$1.3 million in back taxes may be owed to the city.)

All of the city income tax goes to the city's street program.



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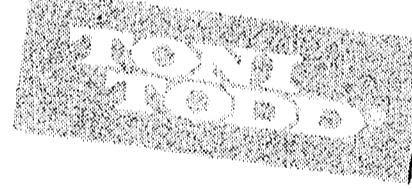


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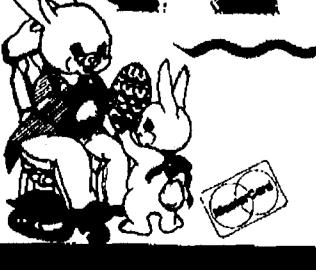
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Whitey Madsen

From Our Corner...



First things first...and I had better get this one out of the way right now...

A week ago we received a top command from the high potentate of Grayling's Rotary Club on their upcoming Minstrel Show as to how we were to handle the publicity for the show...

Irvin shuffled in one day and asked for an audience with Jon and myself...the first thing he said was, "now boys, this is the way it is going to be", we have to push the Minstrel Show so people don't stay home and watch the tube...besides, he added, the tube doesn't help Grayling like the Rotarians...

His first instructions were to Jon...now he said, this week we want just a squib on the front page under "It's News Here"...the week of the show I want a picture of some sort concerning the show and another write up, also, to appear on the front page...

When he was finished with Jon, he looked at me, and said, I don't know what good you can be except put something in the turkey...maybe a couple people will notice...the only problem is that if you recommend the show, people may stay away because they know the kind of taste you have...for theater, that is...

Jon, fulfilled his position the first week, and for this week he will have some sort of picture and write up...on page one...

Irvin also instructed us to place the advertisement in the upper left corner of a page the first week, and then the next week, we want back page coverage...

So I guess now it is the turkey's turn to try and promote something that is unreal...

I'm afraid to really delve into the show as far as supposed singers, comedians, walk-ons, and a funny MC...why we hesitate is, we don't want to be charged with false advertising...and besides I may be considered a party after the fact, with some of the remarks from the end-men...

We have tickets for the Saturday night performance in the balcony...we didn't want to be near when people start throwing eggs and tomatoes...

All kidding aside, if you don't have a ticket yet, there's still time...the turkey recommends it, and besides we are sure it will take care of the cabin fever everyone has up to now...

Saturday I received a card from T.J., and Stefany with a big dog on the front...inside it had "It's a Great Dane for the Irish"...I showed it to Grayling's Leprechaun...for some reason, he didn't think it was funny...I did...

We received a letter this past week from a former resident and I would like to answer a few of his questions about the ol' fella...

Charlie Decker, better known as Laddie when he and his family lived in Grayling sent me a nice letter and, after reading it, all I could think of was, the family is lonesome for their old home town...so, bear with us and I'll try to answer a few of his questions...

Yes, it was forty years ago when I arrived in Grayling, no, I didn't come from Wisconsin or was a southerner, would you believe I grew up in Gaylord, came here after WWII...you mentioned our bride not meeting me at the train and that possibly your father Frank Decker who had a taxi then drove me to the jail, I can't remember, I blame it on the 20 below that shook me...

To any readers who wonder why we lived at the jail, you are right Laddie, Thelma's father was sheriff at that time...yes, Thelma was Winter Sports Queen back in the dark ages of 1942...

I'm happy you enjoy the Avalanche, and I also wish I was 20 years younger, but, I don't think I could write 20 more years of turkey talk...I am happy to add you as one of my readers...you join a select group, my sister, and sister-in-law in Gaylord, Toni in Ohio, Diane in Nevada, Spike MacNeven in Arizona, my bride sometimes, and now you in Oklahoma...thanks Laddie...you made my day...

Time now for sweet dreams to T.J., Stefany and Amber, and to all have a nice weekend...right now I'm waiting to hear if I smile Blue, or cry Blue for the Big M...if I hurry I may catch some of the game...I cried...

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago
March 21, 1963

The Dr. Ralph Steffes and sons Tommy and Jimmy of Flint spent the weekend at their AuSable River home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ellison returned Sunday from a ski week at Stowe, Vermont.

Mrs. Harry Souders entertained about sixteen ladies at coffee Saturday morning honoring Miss Janet Strachan of Cadillac with a kitchen shower.

Paul Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Berry, of Grayling, received a Bachelor of Science degree at commencement exercises held at Michigan State University in East Lansing on Wednesday, March 13th. Paul graduated from Grayling High School in June of 1956.

Tim Neal, Grayling's high scorer forward of the past season was honored with an honorable mention on the All State High School basketball team named by the Detroit Free Press.

The Robert Strongs drove to Garden City Friday afternoon to spend the weekend visiting their daughter and family, the Robert Luters and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders returned home Saturday, the 9th, from a vacation in Florida, where they visited relatives at Orlando, and their son Richard at West Palm Beach. They were fortunate to arrive home just ahead of the floods in the southern states.

A group from the Grayling Sportsman's Club drove to Bay City Wednesday of last week, in a truck donated by Jack Millikin, to pick up 6 tons of Government surplus corn to be used for deer feeding. This corn will help the deer through the last and usually critical weeks of winter and early spring.

A son, Darryl Paul, was born March 13th to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Babbitt of Maple Forest. He weighed 9 lbs. 6 ozs. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lazarowicz and Mrs. Pearl Babbitt are his grandparents.

Craig Robert, was born March 7, weighing 6 lbs. 6 ozs., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ostrander of Karen Woods. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Latuszek and Mr. and Mrs. James Ostrander, and great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gruszynski, all of Gaylord, Mich.

Fred Allen has returned to Ferris Institute after spending the past ten days of between-semester vacation with his parents.

46 Years Ago
March 21, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson and children spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Madson in Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and son Howard and Miss Helene Babbitt spent Thursday in Petoskey on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson left today for a two week vacation trip to Chicago, Cleveland and Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodbury and daughter Mary Lou of Bay City spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Woodbury's mother, Mrs. Clara McLeod.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

RELIGIOUS ANTI-SEMITISM

Jewish historian, Leon Poliakov reported that specific, popular anti-Semitism started with the five anti-Jewish epistles of Archbishop Agobard. (778-840). Historian Wiegand said that "all the anti-Semitism of the Middle Ages has its source in Agobard."

It is interesting to note that the Vatican still in 1986 does not recognize the nation of Israel.

"Hath God cast away his people? God forbid..." God hath not cast away his people which he foreknows..." "Even so then at this present time also there is a remnant according to the election of grace." I say then, Have they stumbled that they shall fall? God forbid..." "For if the casting away of them be the reconciling of the world, what shall the receiving of them be, but life from the dead?"

During the Crusades beginning in 1096, there were wholesale massacres of Jews. Roman Catholic historian Fruin wrote "In the villages they traversed, the latter (the Crusaders) killed or forced baptism upon what remained of those impious Jews, who are truly enemies."

At the Fourth Lateran Council in 1215 a special insignia or yellow "Badge of Shame" was ordered for the Jews. No ruler could then "give an office to a Jew under pain of excommunication; Jews must wear a distinctive dress from their twelfth year." This robbed attempts by Jewish people to earn a normal living.

The Council of Beziers in 1246 forbade Catholics on pain of excommunication to

Invitations are out for the wedding of Lillian Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin D. Landsberg of Inkster, to Mr. George E. Leverage of Saginaw, to take place the evening of March 30th in Dearborn.

69 Years Ago
March 22, 1917

Miss Flora and Henrietta Stephan entertained with a miscellaneous shower at their home down the river, for Mrs. Johannes Jorgenson, formerly Miss Helen Stephan. There were about thirty present.

Grayling basketball team defeated the Ann Arbor team 20 to 16 in the first game of the championship series.

Mrs. H.A. Bauman and daughter Grace and Mrs. Marius Hanson and daughter Lucille are attending the basketball tournament at Ann Arbor this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Weaver, March 17, a daughter.

The Johannesburg train rested in a snowbank overnight, therefore no mail this morning.

Charles Damon of Detroit was in the city Wednesday and while here purchased for his mother the Gust Engel farm of 80 acres, located on 26-2. Mrs. Damon with her two sons and two daughters will move to this farm in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Hanson and family moved into their new home the first of the week. It is one of the most complete and modern homes in northern Michigan and a splendid addition to Peninsular Avenue.

Patrick Hickey, former Grayling High School student, class of 1982, graduated from DeVry Institute of Technology, Lombard, Illinois, on February 23, 1986, with a B.S. degree in Electronic Engineering Technology.

Hickey was on the Dean's list and was also selected as class representative to the Dean while at DeVry.

Presently, he is spending time with his family in Grayling while recovering from the excitement of commencement and graduation, but plans to settle and seek employment in California in the near future.

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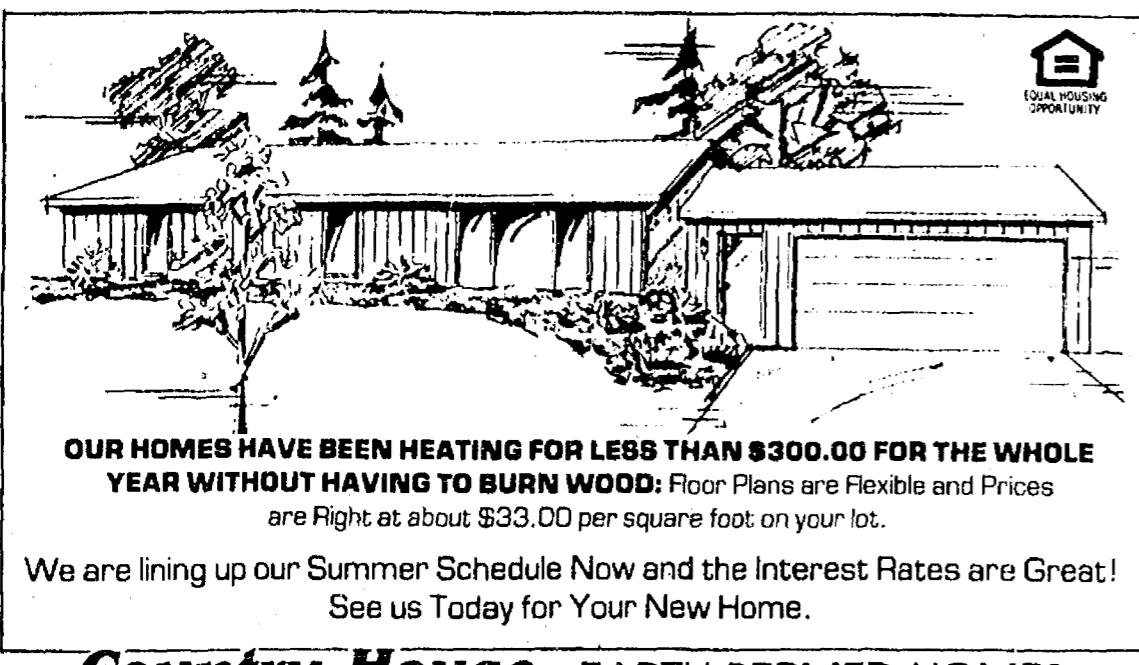
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between ambulance personnel and a hospital-based physician.

Kenny Erb returned to his studies at C.M.U. after spending his spring break with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Erb.

Mrs. Marie Duby returned home last Wednesday after being a patient at Mercy Hospital, her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

The Chperful Givers Club will meet at the club room Thursday evening at 7:30.

Senior Citizen Day is Friday the 21st at the township hall with blood pressure being taken at 11:30, dinner at 12:00 noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis hosted the card party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Elsie Kearney, Alice Campau, Sophia Koernke, Ruth Caid, John Campau and Marvin Wikoff. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koernke will host the party this week.

Mrs. Michelle Dunckley was honored at a baby shower at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Marie Duby on Sunday. The honored guest opened many lovely and useful gifts.

As of March 1, Cub Scout Pack 3993 has been active in the Grayling area for six months. The Cub Scout program was re-established last fall after being inactive in the community for about a year. Because of this, the Pack had to be started more or less from scratch. It didn't take long for the Pack's leadership to discover how much work they had gotten themselves into. But, as Cubmaster Todd Pfaff said last fall, "we will all learn together," and learn they have.

With the various fund-raisers and Pack activities, Pack 3993 has had a busy six months. September and October were chiefly directed at recruitment, which meant going into the schools, making and taking phone calls, and getting the resulting membership together into some sort of routine.

Parents volunteered and two Cub Scout dens and a Webelos den were formed. And for the resulting Cub Scout Pack to get to know one another, the first Pack meeting was held in October as a Halloween party.

The next big event was the annual Father and Son Cake Bake in December. There were over two dozen entries with awards going to the best per den and best overall. Pack 3993 appreciates Cathi Goekerman for her help and experience in judging this event.

In February, the Pack held another annual event, its Blue and Gold banquet, in celebration of Scouting's 76th anniversary in the United States. At this dinner, the Pack honored its Cub Scouts for their achievements, and its leaders and volunteers for their time and efforts.

Another note of honor goes to the Webelos den, who, on their first time out on competition, won first place

advanced airway care such as endotracheal intubation, along with intravenous therapy, two procedures that could be lifesaving to a heart attack victim, for example.

"It is estimated that in 1985, 206 Crawford County patients would have benefited from limited advanced life support services had they been available," Sister Mary Ellen emphasized. "This early treatment will save lives."

**Cong. Davis' Alde
Here Mar. 25th**

Congressman Davis' district representative Betty Mankowski will be visiting your area in the near future. Anyone wishing to meet with Mrs. Mankowski is invited to do so without an appointment. She will be available to discuss any problems you may be having with federal or state government. She will be in Crawford County on:

Tuesday, March 25 at Lovells, 10:00-11:00; Lovells Township Hall.

Also Tuesday, March 25 at Frederic, 11:30-1:00; Frederic Township Hall.

For further information call 517/732-3151 on Monday or toll free anytime in Michigan 1-800-682-8982.

Daniels Den

This Saturday Daniels Den will be presenting Linda and Lyle Dowling from Gaylord. They are a very talented couple with good voices and Lyle accompanies their songs with the guitar. You may remember them doing the music at the beginning of the Sandy Rio' Concert, or from the Right To Life concert in January of this year. They always come praising the Lord and they really lift those present up in their spirits. You won't want to miss this delightful young couple, and the ministry of songs and sharing they bring each time they visit us.

Daniels Den is located on the corner of I-75 and M-72 West in Grayling. The doors are open at 7:30 p.m. and the music starts at 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Join us for a good time of fellowship and fun. All ages are welcome. Mom and Dad bring the whole family and join us this week.

Frederic News

by Eva Hulbert



The Truth is Elusive

by Richard Millman

IF THE STRENGTH of our republic depends upon an alert and informed citizenry — and there is every indication that it does — then we may be in deep trouble.

Oh, it's not that there is a scarcity of information. Quite the contrary. Everywhere you turn an ear or an eye these days, citizens are bombarded with facts and information and claims about what's going on in our country and in the world. The problem is what to believe.

KEEPING INFORMED on the issues of the day is a very tough job. Take for an example the problems in Central America, which are front and center right now as President Reagan pushes for military and "humanitarian" aid to the insurgents in Nicaragua, or "Contras," as they are generally known.

Mr. Reagan pins his position on assertions that throwing the Sandinista regime out of Managua is essential to safety in our own republic. If we permit the Sandinistas to continue in power in Nicaragua (goes the argument), then another communist foothold is established on our doorstep, which is bad for America: so we should aid those who are opposing the Communist regime in Nicaragua.

Certain Reagan administration spokespersons also are hinting broadly that the only alternative to continued aid to the Contras is to call out the American Marines and send them to Nicaragua.

BUT WAIT A MINUTE, opponents respond. The Ortega leadership of the Sandinistas is properly elected and leading that backward nation to prosperity. The people of Nicaragua have the system they want, and the United States has no business imposing its own will on another sovereign nation. The whole communist-threat argument is over-blown anyway (goes the argument) and the Sandinistas are only reforming the system which has choked the people of Nicaragua for so long.

As for the Contras, they're blood-thirsty villains left over from the earlier repressive Somoza regime, bent only on violence.

and returning themselves to power.

The problem to the poor American citizen, trying to form his/her own opinion, is that both these arguments have some truth, and both sound convincing and logical at different times.

SO TURN, then, to church leaders for counsel. Nicaragua is a Catholic nation, and the Catholic leadership helped to do what was right in the Philippines, didn't it? So where does the Catholic Church stand?

Again, there are problems.

Among the pro-Ortega leaders in the United States are many Catholic leaders. Bishop Thomas Gumbleton of Detroit, for example, helped lead an anti-Reagan demonstration in Washington, urging the U.S. to "stop the lies, stop the killing."

But, down in Managua, Pope John Paul set foot a while back, admonishing various pro-Sandinista priests in the Ortega government to drop their civil roles. The official Catholic Church position in Nicaragua (if we are to believe the Pope) backs the formal church there, which is in constant conflict with the Ortega government which in turn is pushing its own form of state-church outside the aegis of the formal church.

So, whom do you believe?

WE ARE NOT helped in seeking to understand by instant experts who travel to Nicaragua for a couple of weeks, take an Ortega-guided tour, and then come back and talk to Rotary clubs and church societies and give local news interviews that somehow always end up anti-Reagan and pro-Sandinista. It takes more than a brief visit to understand problems that have been building for years and years.

Maybe the simplest way is to identify with either Democrats or Republicans and just go along with whatever the party dictates. The problem here is that you can't figure it out, positions keep changing, and there are internal differences, too.

Nobody said freedom would be easy, and the biggest problem with easy answers is that they are usually the wrong ones.

Michigan Mirror



Senate Republicans Initiate Property Tax Study

Warren M. Hoyt, Exec. Dir., MPA

Senate Republicans are proposing a citizen study of the property tax system in a move applauded by Governor James J. Blanchard as moving toward agreement to provide property tax relief.

Senator Rudy Nichols (R-Waterford) offered a resolution (SR 428) providing a 15-member citizens' commission to examine the tax burden, tax limits, assessment, exemptions, appeals and taxation of personal property.

"We are one of, if not the highest state relative to property taxes, and that has to be part and parcel of what the commission looks at," Nichols said.

The resolution says Michigan is the only state where the property taxes measured against personal income have risen since 1971.

Blanchard, whose proposals to expand property tax relief financed by increasing or initiating several other taxes in areas he says are undervalued have been passed by the House, said, "I am pleased that the senate is taking action which could result in property tax relief."

He urged Senate Majority Leader John Engler (R-Mt. Pleasant) to involve House members and members of the administration and move "quickly to recommend immediate property tax relief."

Senate Republicans, during the debate on the income tax rollback, had at one time added a property tax relief component of their own.

The commission is to be appointed by Engler and report its findings no later than December 31.

Nichols said the members should be people other than public officials, such as informed professors, to make recommendations.

Among its charges is to examine the property tax burden relative to other states and historical trends, including a review of alternative sources of revenue.

RUNKEL SAYS GRAMM-RUDMAN CUTS

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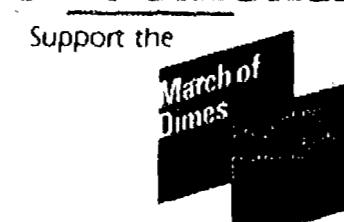
Federal budget cuts authorized under the Gramm-Rudman balanced budget law could cripple the Department of Education and seriously affect aid to intermediate and local schools, Superintendent of Public Instruction Phillip Runkel said.

The cuts would be acutely felt by the department because 83 percent of its funds

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G.H.S. Forensic Team



GHS FORENSIC WINNER — L-R: Jeff Martinez, Kathy Allen, Kim McDonough, Kristin Lademan, Jeff McLaughlin.

The Grayling High School Individual Events Team started the 1986 Invitational Circuit at the Essexville-Garber High School Season Opener, on Saturday, February 22.

Eleven of the Forensics team members competed at Garber: The Duo Interpretation teams of: Kathy Allen/Jeff Martinez, Christy Best/Kim Cole, and Jeff McLaughlin/Kristin Lademan; the Duo Interpretation 9-10 team of Donn Broeker/Lori Dean; Kim McDonough, Extemporaneous Speaking;

Patty Hatfield, Informative Speaking; and Wayne Sands, Radio Broadcasting.

Junior Kim McDonough placed 2nd in Extemporaneous Speaking. Students in this category study current events and social issues at the international, national, and state levels. At each round of competition, they draw a topic and then have 30 minutes to prepare a 4-7 minute speech on it.

1986 is Kim's third year in this difficult category. Last year, she won 1st place at District competition and 7th

at Regionals. Says coach Nancy Lemmen, "Kim has the ability and experience to win at the Regionals this year, and to represent the GHS team at State."

The duo of Kathy Allen/Jeff Martinez (both seniors) won the 2nd place trophy, and the duo of Kristin Lademan/Jeff McLaughlin (both juniors) took 6th place honors.

This is Kathy and Jeff's second year as a duo, and Kristin and Jeff's first season working together. All four are veteran forensics team members.

Equal Access Telephone Ballot

Scheduled in May for Grayling

Equal Access, which requires telephone users to select the company they prefer to handle their long distance calling, is scheduled to become available to Grayling General Telephone customers beginning in May.

"Today, customers who make 'one-plus', direct-dialed calls are automatically connected to either General Telephone or AT&T," said Larry Clark, division manager for General Telephone. "Equal Access lets a customer choose a primary long distance company to handle calls to points outside of the 'LATA' from which the call is placed.

Equal Access also means customers can use additional long distance companies by dialing a five-digit access code followed by the area code and phone number.

Resource Review

by Bruce Patrick
Conservation Officer

In 1927, the old Department of Conservation published a farm and forest map of Crawford County. The front of the map is marked indicating cover types from upland forest to lowland forest to marsh to open wild land to cleared or agricultural land. This is very similar to designations used today. And, as today, jack pine is the predominant cover type.

It is interesting to look at the road systems as they existed then. M-72 is only found in the far southeastern part of the county. The main route from Kalkaska to Grayling was M-76 which joined U.S. 27 in Grayling and then headed south to Roscommon. At some later date, Co. Rd. 604 or South Down River Road became M-72 and M-76 phased out.

On the back of the map is a farm-forest report for the county. A population chart showed a decrease from 4049 in 1920 to 3067 in 1930.

A table showing shipments of commodities from July 1, 1926 to June 30, 1927 showed a total of 5027 railroad car loads. 3045 of these were from the Frederic/Deward area - mostly logs. Some of the more interesting items shipped are 3 carloads of sheep, 7 carloads of buggies, 35 carloads of sawdust and 2 of empty drums. Of course, most of the shipments were forest products of one sort or another.

Commodities received included: lumber 609 carloads, hay 47 carloads, and groceries 25. A total of 1128 carloads were received. It is easy to see that for at least 60 years, natural resources have been the life blood of Crawford County.

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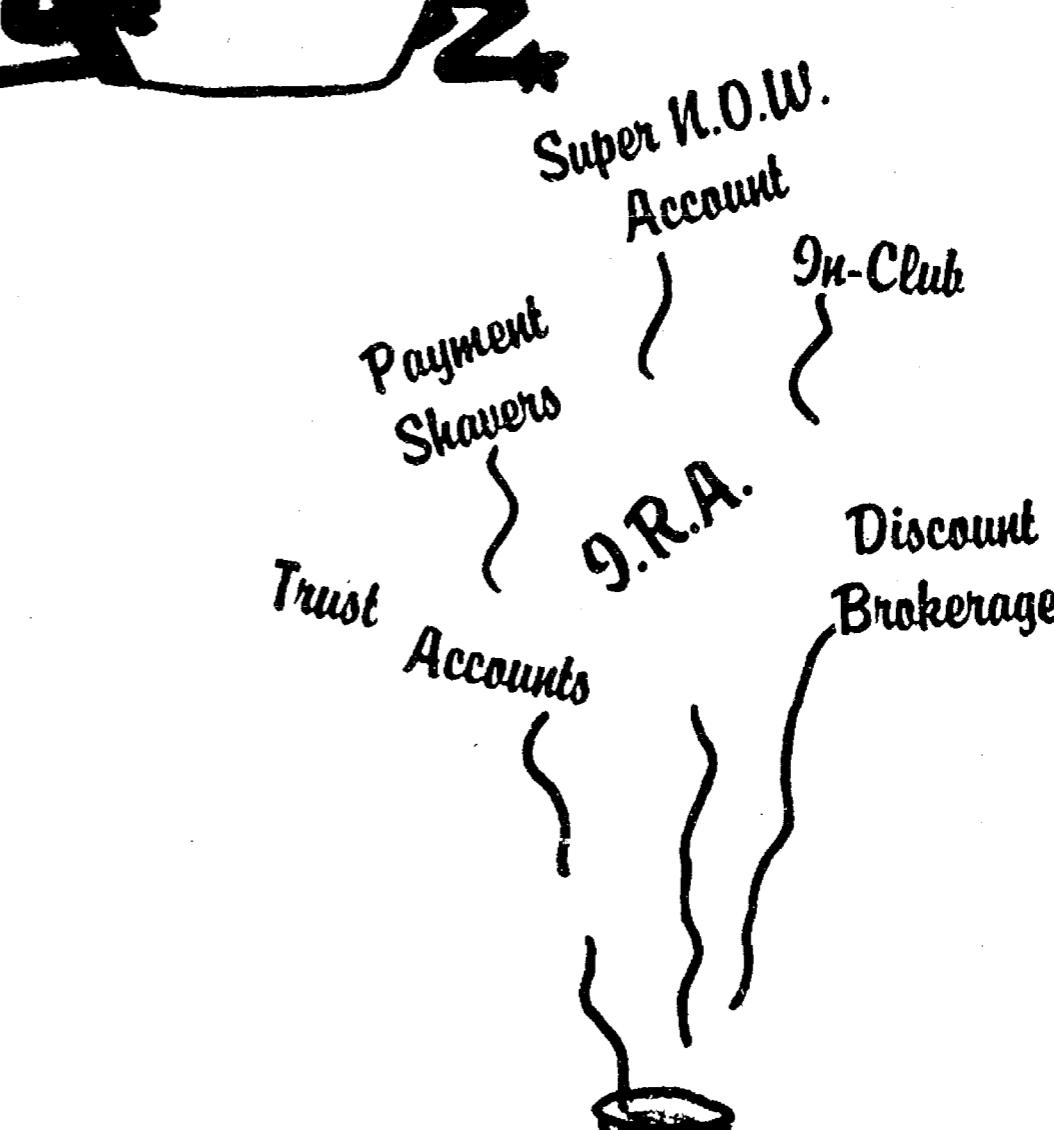
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PLEASE NOTICE: All COA offices will be closed on Good Friday, March 28th.

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POTLUCK DINNER — April 20th, 4:00 p.m., Bring a dish to pass, meat furnished.

MENU AND ACTIVITIES For the Week of April 23 thru 29

MONDAY - 1:30-AARP Meeting, 3:00-Songbirds, 5:00-Dinner (BBQ Chicken).

TUESDAY - 10:00-Exercise, 1:00-Bowling, 1:00-RSVP Cards, 5:00-Dinner (Sweet & Sour Meatballs), 5:30- "The Penguins" Kitchen Band.

WEDNESDAY - 10:00-Quilting, 1:00-Stag Party, 1:30-Swimercise, By Appt.-Vial of Life, 5:00-Dinner (Baked Whitefish), 5:30-Games Night.

THURSDAY - 10:00-Exercise, 12:30-Blood Pressure, 1:00-Discount Cards, 3:00-Kitchen Band, 5:00-Dinner (Wiener Schnitzel).

FRIDAY - CLOSED for Good Friday. Happy Easter!

10th Reunion Needs Help

The graduating class of 1976 is having their 10th Reunion and is looking for addresses for the following people: Francine Benally, Cheryl Boone, Penny Brown, Tom Crook, Scott Coe, Keith Millard, William Nelson, Delbert Nelson, Jeff Schlaack, Herb Range, David Jochims, and Tom Jordon.

If you can be of any help to us, please phone or write to Cindy Olson, 348-5010, 114 Michigan Ave., Grayling, Mi. 49738.

AARP To Meet

Crawford County Chapter #1681 Regular monthly meeting will be held here Monday, March 24th at 1:30 p.m.

These are Open Meetings and visitors are most welcome."

Hopefully we will have as our speaker Lamar King.

Mr. King is a member of the State Legislature Committee (Mich.)

He will share the status of legislation that the committee is monitoring for 1986.

Refreshments will be available following the meeting.

Frances Olsen

Publicity

American Legion Auxiliary News

By Laurie Jenson
P.R. Director

This Sunday, March 23rd is the day for Feather Bingo. The doors open at Noon and play begins at 1:00 p.m. Bingo is just about the same as our last one. I will be your caller so come and join me for a fun afternoon.

We have two new chairmen at our Thursday night bingo. We have changed bingo all around and have added every way to play the game so stop in and check it out this week.

Did you know that there is a good and strong possibility that if we don't get off our duffs there will be VA budget cuts made? The government wants to cut off benefits to our Vietnam War Veterans. I don't see any difference in these men from our Korean War men or WWII men, do you?

Roselyn Johnson will make copies of all letters and make sure they are sent off. If you would write a letter and begin it with Dear Congressman, they will be run off and mailed to Bill Schuette and Ralph Ostling.

Please help Grayling's Unit 106 in our endeavor to see that our Veterans receive all of their rightful benefits.

Our 10th District is No. 1 for membership so we sit up front at Convention. Hooray for us!

Until next time...Have a Nice Day!!

Soccer Information Session

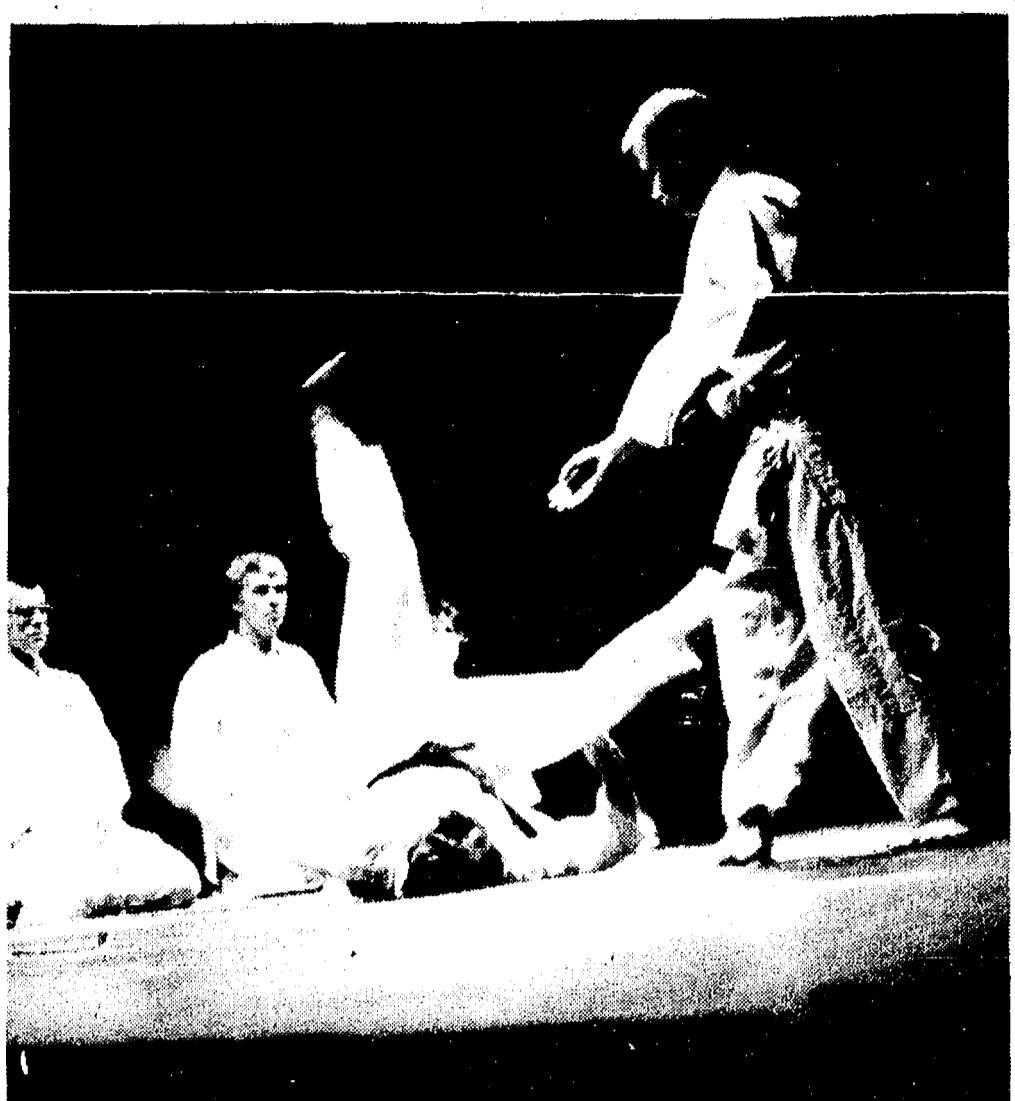
Attention all you Soccer enthusiastic people, our 4-H Spring Mini Season will begin the week of April 7, 1986.

There will be a Soccer Information Session on Monday, March 24 from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the basement of the County Building.

All parents, coaches, interested referees or any adult that just enjoys the sport are urged to attend.

Kids your fall coaches will be getting in touch with you to set up practice and hand out the schedules. All games will be played on Saturdays...

Aikido Comes To Grayling



Grayling residents were recently treated to a demonstration of the art of Aikido — one of the least known and understood of the Japanese martial arts. The demonstration was sponsored by the Crawford AuSable Community Education Program, and presented by the Northwestern Michigan College Aikido Club.

Aikido is an art which grew out of the combat discipline of the Samurai — it combines rigorous physical discipline and practical effectiveness, with an emphasis on personal growth.

Aikido teaches relaxed, smooth, and balanced movement. It teaches mind-body coordination and harmony with one's partner. In addition, aikido is excellent physical exercise and effective self defense. Students learn that softness, calmness and harmony are not weaknesses; that in fact, such qualities are the most effective responses one can make to violence and aggression. The practice of Aikido, then, includes elements of philosophy, psychology, and physical training combined in a single unified discipline.

Aikido will be offered in Grayling through the community education program beginning Wednesday, March 19, at 7:00 p.m., at the High School.

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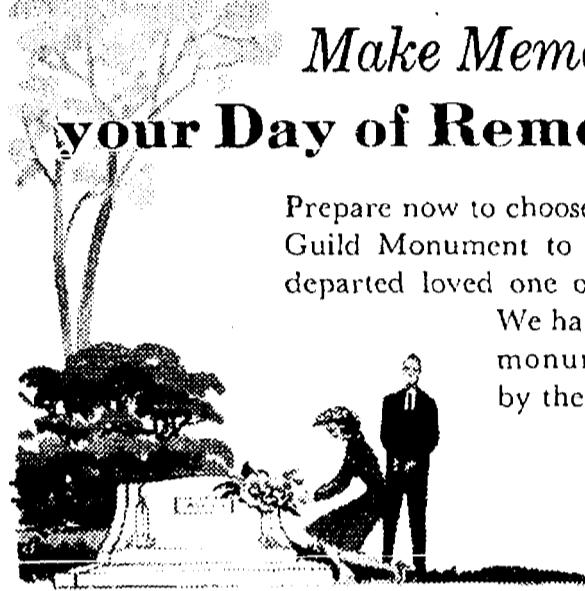
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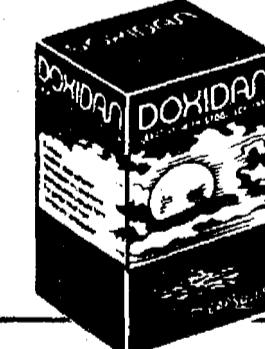
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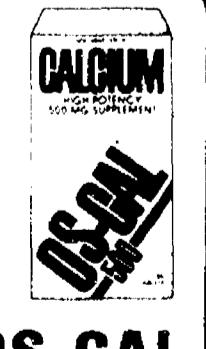
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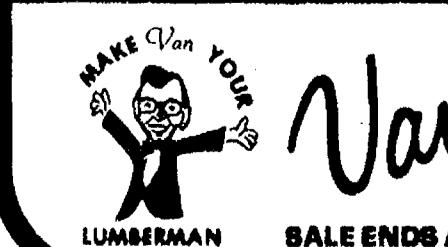
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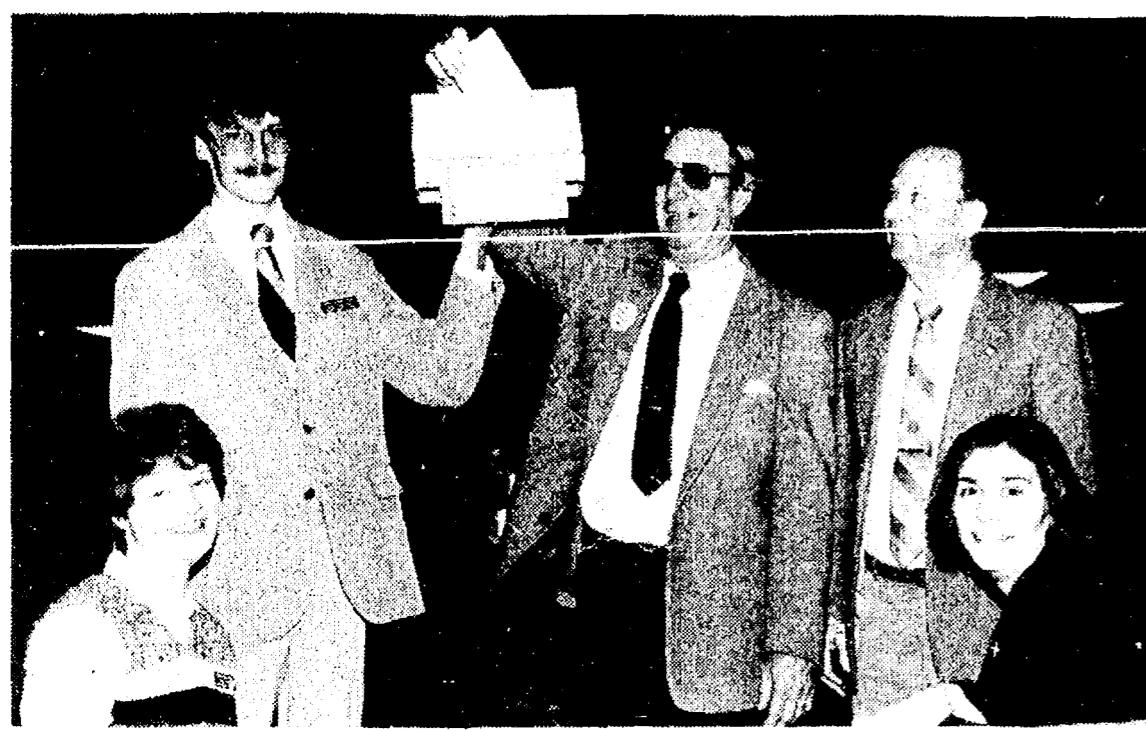
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DRAW FOR TUITION SCHOLARSHIP — Kirtland Board Chairman Robert Bovee selects the winning registration during the drawing for a free tuition scholarship at the KCC Open House. He is assisted by Greg Katterson, Student Senate President (left), and Raymond D. Homer, Kirtland President (right). Looking on is Karen Tyson, Student Senate Vice President (left), and Dale Marie Losee, KCC employee and organizer of the event.

Arts Council "Showcase"

SHOWCASE, a performance featuring talented people from the Grayling area, will be presented on Sunday, April 13, at 4:00 p.m., in the main dining room of Chief Shoppenagons Hotel, sponsored by the Crawford County Arts Council.

One of the featured performers is local dance instructor, Louise Tournaud Hayes. Ms. Hayes has studied dance for 18 years, and has taught it for eight, for the most part in her own studio. She is presently the owner and principal instructor of the Creative Dance Academy, located in Grayling.

In her years as a dance teacher, Louise has choreographed more than 500 numbers, and she plans to continue choreographing and teaching "until I'm 70 years old — at least."

Ms. Hayes, who will perform a traditional ballet in SHOWCASE, says, "I'll enjoy dancing in the performance because it will give me a chance to express myself, and that is what dance is all about."

She has enjoyed teaching dance in Crawford County and feels "proud of my students and myself as I watch them go on to college able to compete for dance scholarships."

Another local resident featured in April's SHOWCASE is Grayling High School junior Amy Smith. Amy, who studied vocal music at Interlochen Arts Academy her freshman year, is presently studying both



LOUISE TOURNAUD HAYES

- dressed to perform in the 1985 Crawford County Arts Council dance recital. Ms. Hayes' students also performed in a variety of dances and the ballet, "Cinderella."



AMY SMITH - holding one of the several awards she won as a member of the 1985 GHS forensics team, another area in which she excels.

Has Gold Lost Its Glitter?

People are saying gold as an investment has lost its glitter.

Gold climbed in price in the 1970s to an all-time high of more than \$800 an ounce, but in the past few years has plunged to less than \$300 an ounce.

For more information on the RSVP program please contact our offices at 348-4341 and 348-8322 in Grayling, and 366-5613 in Roscommon County.

Peace won by compromise is usually a short-lived achievement.

Age and Personality

The old person is largely responsible for his own place in society, to an extent that neither disengagement nor conflict theory emphasizes enough. What is experienced as rejection or exclusion by one person may be a welcome opportunity to shed responsibility by another. One individuals' lifestyle may keep him closely linked with society, while that of another individual may encourage earlier disengagement.

The reality of individual differences was well illustrated by a study of aging and personality among men. In general, three types of men adjusted well to their place in society as they aged, while the other two types did not.

The 'rocking-chair' men were of a 'passive' disposition. Growing old gave them permission to withdraw from activities and responsibilities that they had not much cared for in the first place. What they gained in peace and quiet seemed to more than make up for what they lost by moving out of the mainstream.

Quite different were the 'armoured men.' These people dreaded the prospect of becoming passive, dependent or helpless. They organized themselves vigorously to resist all forms, both biological and sociological, that might place them in a dependent position. They maintained a physically and socially active lifestyle, hardly relinquishing their place in society at all.

The kind of personality most often seen among the well-adjusted elderly men

RSVP Reports

by Aleta Thompson, Director

Since experience is the best teacher, it follows that people of retirement age have much to offer — your knowledge, your skills, your patience and your unceasing dedication to a task are all valuable assets that can be used in many community programs.

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Editor's Quote Book

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Winfield Scott

To Register Rabbits at Frederic

Ann Stephenson
4-H Program Assistant
Keith Forbush, Licensed Judge and Registrar, American Rabbit Breeders Association will be at the Frederic Township Hall in Frederic, from 14:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 2nd for the purpose of registering rabbits for ARBA members from all surrounding counties.

Mr. Forbush was originally from the Frederic area. He has a Masters Degree in Education of Standards Committee-National Federation of Flemish Giant Rabbit Breeders. He is in his 39th year as a volunteer 4-H leader and is actively involved in the Wayne County 4-H Program.

For more information call the Crawford County Cooperative Extension Service, 348-2841 ext. 265 or Donna Pratt 348-8460.

Mr. Forbush's visit is sponsored by the Frederic Nature II 4-H Club.

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Election Notice

ELECTION WILL BE HELD

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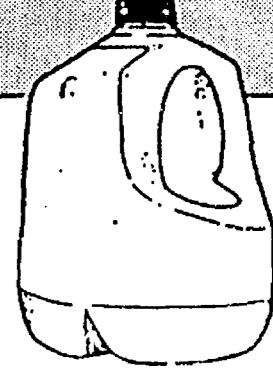
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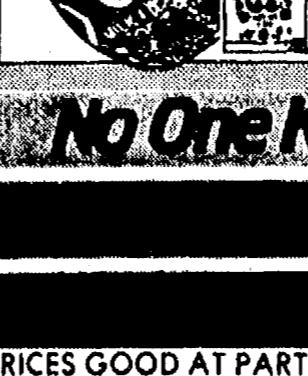
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Last Day For Filing

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TO THE CUSTOMERS OF MICHIGAN CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY

Case No. U-8038-R

NOTICE OF HEARING ON GAS COST RECONCILIATION PROCEEDING

Procedure, 1979 Administrative Code, R 460.11 et seq.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that:

A. A prehearing conference will be held at 9:30 a.m. on April 4, 1986, in the offices of the Commission, Mercantile Building, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan, which hearing will be in the nature of a prehearing conference and will be held for the purpose of considering matters which will expedite this proceeding. Any interested persons may attend the hearing and participate, subject to the provisions of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

B. Any person seeking to intervene, in accordance with Rule 11 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the Commission, shall file with the Commission, on or before March 31, 1986, an original and 12 copies of a petition to intervene, together with proof of service upon Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, Daniel L. Schiffer, Office of General Counsel, 500 Griswold Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

Subparagraph (2) of said Rule 11 provides as follows:

"(2) A petition to intervene shall set out clearly and concisely the facts supporting the petitioner's alleged right or interest, the grounds of the proposed intervention, and the position of the petitioner in the proceeding, so as fully and completely to advise the parties and the Commission of the specific issues of fact or law to be raised or controverted." (Emphasis added)

The Commission will require strict compliance with the above-quoted rule.

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Middle School News

Computer Classes

The second semester programming class is developing arithmetic drill programs with graphics subroutines. Best programs will be donated to the Grayling and Frederic Elementary Schools as copyrighted programs. The teachers for the computer classes are Mr. Bill Bedford and Mr. Peter Ingvarsson.

Spelling Bee

The spelling bee for the middle school was a three stage process. In the first step spelling bees were held in each English class with a first and second place being chosen. These spellers then advanced to the grade level competition that were held on February 6, 1986. This year ten sixth graders, eight seventh graders and ten eighth graders took part. The spelling bees decided a first and second place. On February 27th these six students participated in the school spelling bee. The competition was fierce and after one-hundred and seventy words Jenny Naour, an eighth grader, finally won by spelling "irrational" and "irrelevant." Angie Thompson, a sixth grader, took second place. Jenny will advance to a regional competition in Wolverine and also represent our middle school in the C.O.O.R. area spelling competition. Ms. Rita Siders organized the spelling bee for GMS.

Spanish

Advanced Spanish has just finished giving oral reports on famous Spanish speaking people such as: Pancho Villa, Cesar Chavez, Evita Peron, Benito Juarez, Cores,

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Social Studies

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Math

The sixth grade mathematics classes of Mr. Butch Stockton are completing their review of the four basic operations with fractions and mixed numbers. This review will culminate in a final test with problems from each of the four operation areas, as well as, simplifying fractions and changing improper fractions to mixed numbers. The next unit will be working with decimal numbers.

Literature

Mrs. Judi Mesack's students have finished studying short stories and are now studying drama. They are reading the play, "The Diary of Anne Frank." They will be studying the structure of the plays as well as the historical background of the Jewish Holocaust. When they're finished reading the story they will see the film.

Boys Basketball

The 1985-86 boys 8th grade team was filled with many ups and downs like so many teams. The season started with 18 players and finished with 13. The first half of the season was very difficult as a starting unit was usually different from the previous game. When the team finally dwindled to a magic 13, team morale and improvement was easily noticed. Each and every player that finished the season had improved some part of their basketball abilities.

Student Achievement

Testing

March 18-19-20

The California Achievements testing for the 1985-1986 school year for 6, 7, and 8 grade students will be held March 18, 19, 20. It will take place during the students 2nd and 3rd class hours.

The CAT testing is being done early this year, because of the need for test results to determine student placement in classes for the 1986-1987 school year. In the past, test results did not arrive back until school was out in June or July and student scheduling was already complete.

Improvements in curriculum have placed more and more emphasis on testing and its results. Through CAT test results we see what needs to be improved, as well as how we compare with the whole country in educational areas.

Testing also helps in the placement of students. Testing is used, in part, to identify students who need help in areas such as reading and math. Testing also enables us to identify students eligible for accelerated programs.

In the past, please join with the teachers to encourage your child to do his or her best. The tests are important to them and their educational goals.

THANK YOU

To our good friends in Frederic: With their help we were able to evacuate the wheelchairs and handicapped clients to another bus and home safely. Thanks again.

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SEARS CATALOG CELEBRATES A CENTURY OF SERVICE — A special hardbound centennial edition of the Sears, Roebuck and Co. catalog catches the attention of Bob Peterson, manager of the Grayling store. He was in suburban Chicago recently for a three-day meeting launching the 100th anniversary celebration of Sears catalog business. The hot air balloon in the background is featured in the catalog. Sears, Roebuck and Co. traces its roots to North Redwood, Minn., where a young railroad agent named Richard W. Sears began selling watches to supplement his income in 1866. A year later, he moved to Chicago and hired a watchmaker — Alvah C. Roebuck.

Herbal Corner

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Crawford County 4-H leaders were among almost 300 Michigan volunteer leaders at 1986 4-H Leadermete, Feb. 28-March 2 at Michigan State University.

"Leadermete provides 4-H volunteers with an opportunity to learn about new 4-H programs and activities, enhance their leadership skills and be recognized for their contributions to the Michigan 4-H - Youth Program," says Ann Stephenson, 4-H Program Assistant. "4-H volunteers learned skills in working with and understanding young people, coping with changing family needs, building self-esteem and enhancing their creativity."

Delegates attended a number of educational workshops and exhibits during the event. Tours of various MSU facilities were also offered.

Outstanding 4-H alumni, supporters and volunteer leaders were honored for their contributions to the 4-H youth program.

The awards banquet keynote speaker was Oregon resident Sue Miller of Wholemind Works, Inc. Miller is a nationally recognized educator and inspirational speaker. She shared techniques to help participants prepare for the future and add meaning to their lives.

4-H Leadermete is sponsored by the Michigan 4-H Youth Program. Information about 4-H programs and activities is available from Ann Stephenson at the Crawford County Cooperative Extension Service office.



REPRESENTING Crawford County at the 1986 4-H Leadermete Feb. 28-March 2 at Michigan State University were (left to right) Jean Schmidt and Karen Langseth.

Teen-age Rebellion Normal

Healthy teen-agers may rebel against their parents. This rebellion stems from their struggle for independence and can be a normal stage in adolescent development. Some griping, arguing, verbal defiance, complaining and negative reaction to family plans are all a normal part of teen-age growth.

Arguments or quarrels with adolescents are not a symptom of an unhappy home. Rather, they are indications that teen-agers are looking for more independence and are growing up.

A teen-ager who never has any desire to rebel or even disagree with his parents is not the typical adolescent. Teen-agers who are never

Vets Notice

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 135 will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, March 20 at the Lyon Township Hall. All members and potential members are urged to attend. This is a very important meeting.

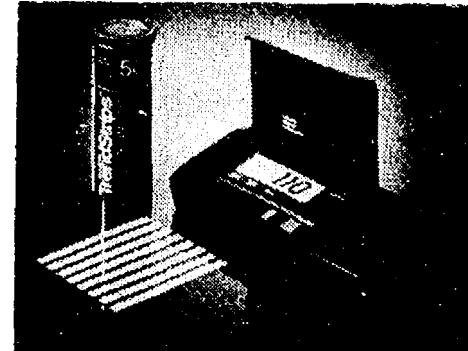
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District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Gerald Jacklyn, 35, of Grayling, demanded preliminary examination for a charge of receiving and concealing more than \$100 in stolen property. A \$5,000 personal bond was set.

Floyd Goddard, Jr., 22, of Roscommon, demanded preliminary examination for a charge of receiving and concealing more than \$100 in stolen property. A \$5,000 personal bond was set.

Kim Delo, 24, of Langburg, plead guilty to a charge of unlawful use of marijuana and was fined \$205 or 30 days. Delo was cited by the sheriff dept. Jan. 8.

David Swoszowski, 28, of Higgins Lake, demanded preliminary examination for a charge of non-sufficient funds check for more than \$200. A \$1,000 personal bond was set.

Michael Carpenter, 38, of Rochester, plead guilty to a charge of reckless driving and was fined \$205 or 30 days.

James Gorman, 25, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of O.U.I.L. and was fined \$355 or 30 days plus his license is restricted for 6 months. He was cited August 9 by the sheriff dept.

Wilson Cox, 67, of Fredric, plead guilty to a charge of O.U.I.L. and was fined \$355 or 30 days plus his license is suspended for 6 months. He was cited Sept. 21 by the sheriff dept.

Gerald Darling, 46, of Lake Orion, plead guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was fined \$305 or 30 days plus his license is restricted for 90 days. He was cited Nov. 30 by a DNR officer.

Kenneth Knochel, 63, of Bay City, plead guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was fined \$305 or 30 days plus his license is restricted for 90 days. He was cited Nov. 30 by a DNR officer.

Kenneth Jezowski, 21, of Howell, plead guilty to a charge of larceny of less than \$100. He was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail plus \$64.96 restitution. He was cited October 21 following a citizen complaint.

Donna Argue, 21, plead guilty to a charge of larceny of less than \$100. She was sentenced to six months probation. She was cited Dec. 29, 1984.

Bonni Brannam, 71, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of attempting to file a false police report. He was fined \$105 or 10 days. He was cited May 22 by the sheriff dept.

Russell Owen, Jr., 27, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of malicious destruction of property less than \$100. He was sentenced to 14 days in the county jail. By a motion of the prosecuting attorney, an original charge of malicious destruction of property of more than \$100 was dismissed upon the above plea.

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Help on Filling Out Income Tax Forms Available at KCC

The Kirtland Community College Library has resources available to assist the public in filling out federal income tax forms, according to Mr. Lawrence, Director of the Library.

The material is prepared and provided by the IRS in cooperation with many of the nation's libraries. Useful aids include audio cassettes containing simple line-by-line instructions for filling out federal forms 1040EZ; 1040A and Schedule 1; and Form 1040 and Schedules A, B, and W.

These and other commonly used federal tax forms and schedules can often be obtained or photocopied at Kirtland Community College Library. Individuals should check to see if the forms they need are available in their local library.

Many IRS publications are available for reference. One that can help taxpayers prepare their individual tax returns is Publication 17, "Your Federal Income Tax." Federal tax laws which apply to business persons and farmers are explained in Publication 334, "Tax Guide for Small Business," and Publication 225, "Farmers Tax Guide."

Publication 1194, specially designed for libraries, is a set of the IRS' most requested publications and a helpful reference guide.

Reproducible tax forms are contained in Publication 1132. This allows a taxpayer

to easily photocopy for a small fee of 10 cents per page, more than 90 of the most commonly used federal income tax forms.

Publication 910, also available at the library, is the handy "Taxpayer's Guide to IRS Information, Assistance and Publications." This publication describes the services available to aid in tax return preparation and offers information on where to get additional help.

Taxpayers wishing to receive recorded tax tips by telephone can pick up a brochure on Tele-Tax, Publication 1163. The brochure lists various tax topics which can be accessed by using either a push button or rotary-dial phone.

As a service for the blind, several of the most needed forms and publications are available in braille and distributed through the Regional Libraries for Blind and Physically Handicapped.

Librarians are not tax experts, the IRS stresses. They can, however, direct taxpayers to the many helpful tax aids available. For this area, call toll free 1-800-424-1040 for additional information.

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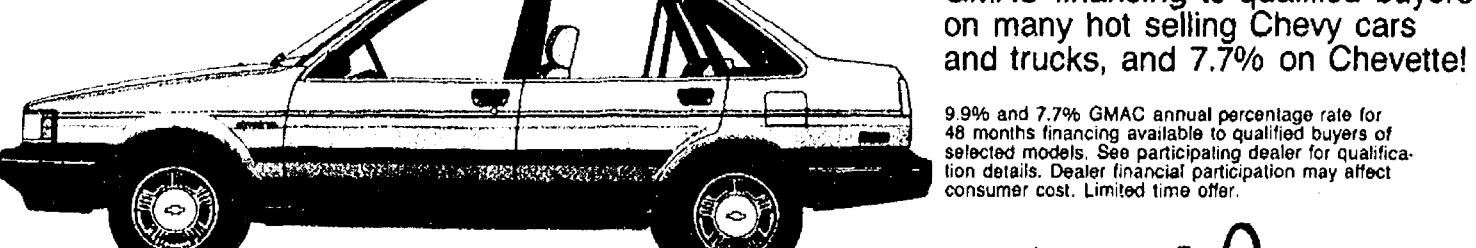
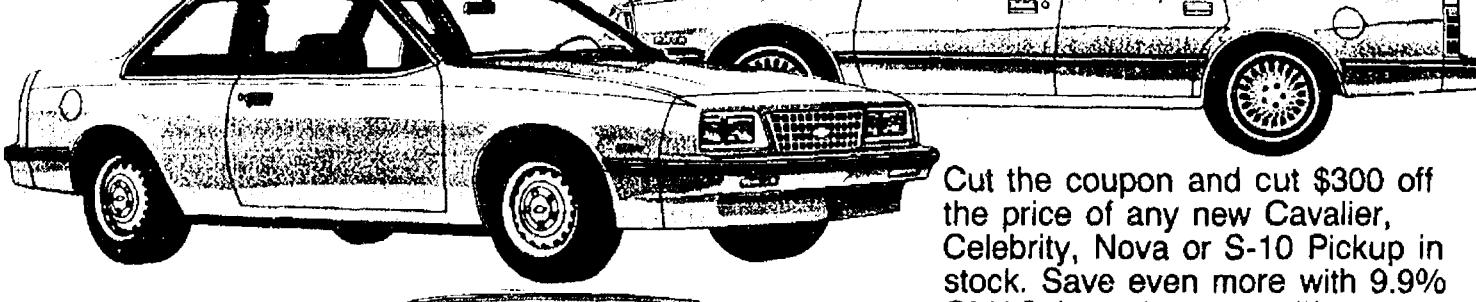
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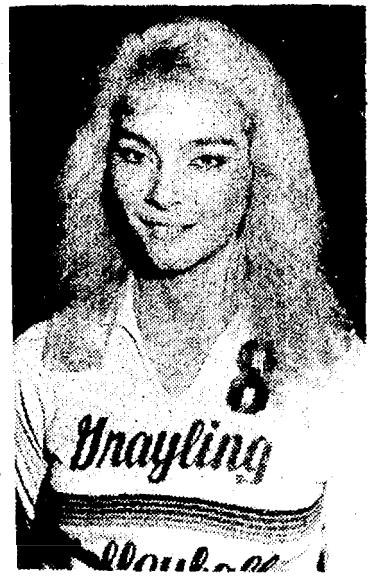
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5 From 'Spiking Vikings' Win All-League Awards

Five Grayling players from the "Spiking Vikings" won conference honors for the 1986 season. Grayling finished second in the league and had its best dual match record ever.

Seniors Shelly Denton, Piper Ostrowski, and Kathy Partin were named to the All-Conference team, and junior Jamie Kaiser and sophomore Sue Casler received honorable mention.



Jamie Kaiser
Honorable Mention



Sue Casler
Honorable Mention

Wednesday Services For Jeffrey Sturm, 29

Jeffrey M. Sturm, 29, of Roseville, died Saturday, March 8, 1986 in South Macomb Hospital, Warren. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, March 12, 1986 at the Kaul Funeral Home in Roseville with the Rev. David Paul of St. Mark Lutheran Church, Roseville, officiating. Interment was in the Cadillac Memorial Gardens East, Clinton Township.

Mr. Sturm was a realtor for Earl Keim Real Estate and was a former circulation employee for The Macomb Daily. He loved life and nature, and wrote many beautiful poems copyrighted in the Library of Congress.

He is survived by his son, Aaron; mother, Patricia (Chappel) Sturm of Roseville; 2 brothers, Larry of California and Bill of Arizona; 2 sisters, Claudia Schmitt of Roseville and Pam Sitariski of Connecticut; and grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Reetz of Grayling.

She was preceded in death by her parents and husband.

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Shelly Denton
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Kathy Partin
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Bacon, Hull Receive Conference Honors

Two Grayling Vikings, Tom Bacon and Todd Hull, were named to the Michigan Huron Shores All-Conference squad.

Tom Bacon, a junior, was Grayling's leading scorer averaging more than 15 points a game. He was also the team's leading free throw shooter with a 74 percent mark. Bacon had 67 assists and 49 rebounds for the year. He was the player Grayling went to for crucial baskets and he faced double teams and box-and-one

defenses throughout the year.

Bacon was named to the first team All-Conference squad.

Todd Hull, a sophomore, was Grayling's leading shot-blocker and second leading scorer. He was second in rebounds with 145 for the year. With two years left to play in the conference, Hull could become a dominating player.

Hull was named to the honorable mention league squad.

Fred's Wins Easily, Spike's Lose in OT

Fred's handled U.S. Plywood easily 63-34 to win their third game in a row and finish 5-5 for the year in the Gaylord Basketball League.

Fred's was never threatened as Dan Beckwith led them with 15 points. Dave Narlock added 14, Phil Trudeau 13, Doug Kuhn 8, Lou Middleton 5, Jeff Kolka 4, and Dean Smith 4.

Spike's lost to undefeated league champion Puggy's for the third time this year, this time in a 94-92 overtime loss.

Spike's came back from five points down with a minute to go to tie the game at the end of regulation time. In the overtime, Spike's had another chance to tie the game and go into double overtime, but three shots went in and out before the buzzer.

Jon Thompson led Spike's with 30 points, Jim Tobin had 15, Dale Papendick 9, Louie Madill 8, Mike Kucharek 8, Jim Stewart 7, Tom Coors 6, Dave White 5, and Scott Hamlin 4.

Spike's finished 5-5 for the year.

Kirtland Open House a Success

The recent Open House at Kirtland Community College was deemed successful by administrators and staff. Over 125 persons attended, most of whom had never been on Kirtland's campus before.

Many displays were up, highlighting both the history of the college and the future plans for expansion. A Small Business/Quick Start display, computerized small business software, and a "current statistics" display rounded out the exhibits. Most of the classroom and lab areas were open, and many instructors demonstrated the latest in "state of the art" equipment.

Michael Watson of Roscommon received a one semester tuition scholarship in a door prize drawing. Emma Clark of West Branch and Juanita Gardiner of Roscommon both received a scholarship for one tuition free class.

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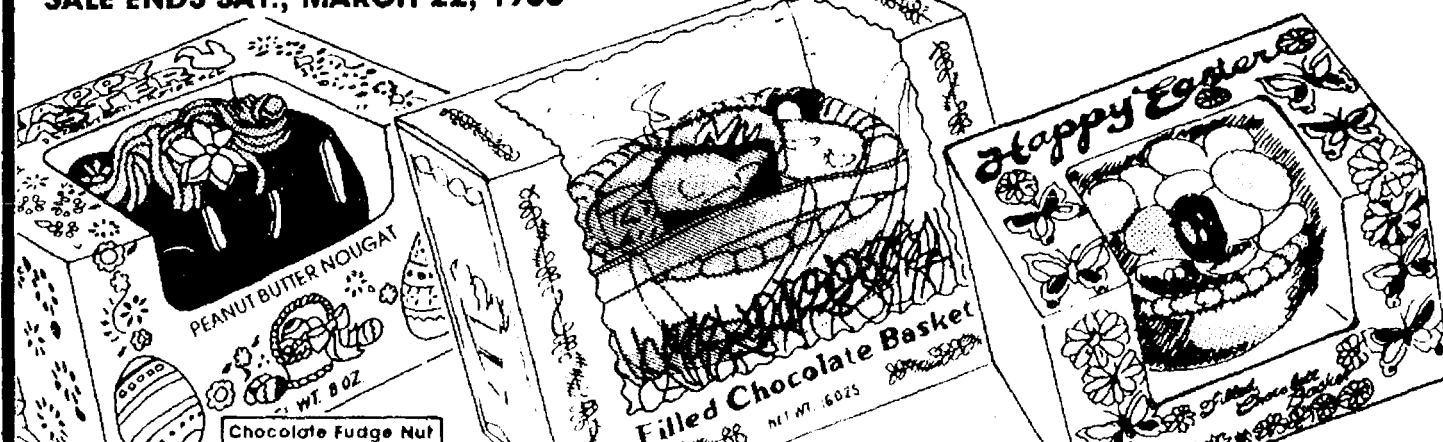
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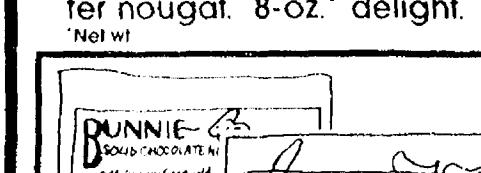
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**Hatfield Marks 35th Anniversary
With Bear Archery**



Gainesville, Fla. - Fred Bear, Chairman, and Charles T. Smith, President, of Bear Archery recently honored longtime employee Jim Hatfield on his 35th anniversary with the company at a special luncheon coinciding with Fred Bear's 84th Birthday. Hatfield joined Bear Archery on Mr. Bear's birthday in 1951.

Hatfield has held many positions in production and engineering over the years. His first job in 1951 was in the bow press area and he is currently Supervisor of Finished Goods and Raw Materials.

Mr. Bear presented Hatfield with a personalized Fred Bear Signature Bow in honor of the occasion.

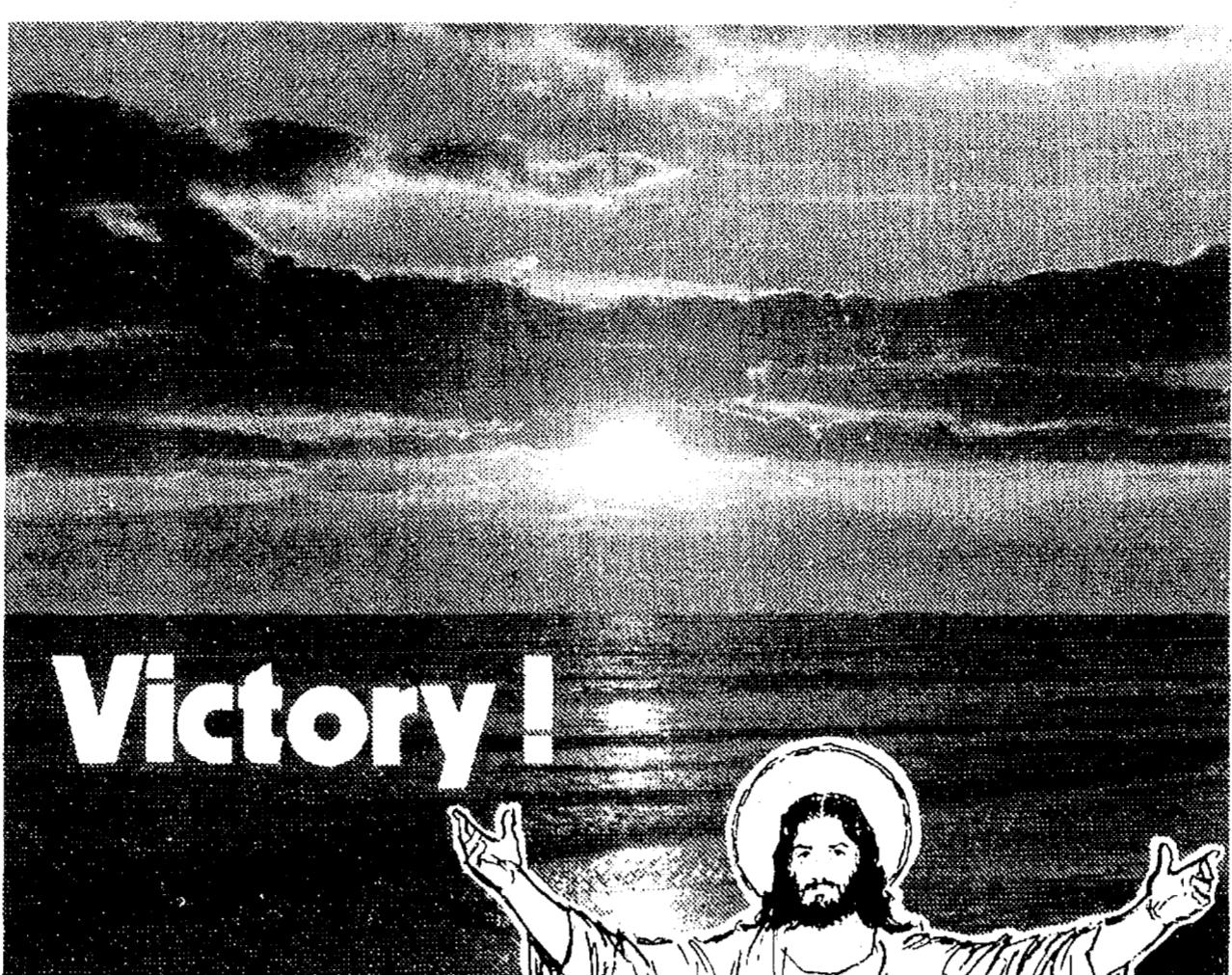
In noting the event, Mr. Smith said "Bear Archery has always been a family oriented company and no one exemplifies that spirit more than Jim Hatfield. He and his family have helped Bear Archery grow to its present prominence in the archery industry that it enjoys today. Hatfield brothers, cousins, children and spouses have all been a part of the first 50 years of our growth and we are sure will continue to be members of the Bear Archery family for many years to come. Bear Archery is its people, and we are justifiably proud of them."

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March 20, 1952—Senate ratifies Japanese peace treaty and approves security agreement with Japan, the Philippines, Australia, and New Zealand.
March 21, 1886—Geronimo captured.
March 22, 1765—Stamp Act became law.
March 23, 1945—Patton's Third Army crossed Rhine River.
March 24, 1644—Roger Williams granted charter for colony of Rhode Island.
March 25, 1894—Jacob S. Coxey's army of jobless men begins march from Ohio to Washington, D.C. to demand relief measures from Congress.
March 26, 1962—Supreme Court decision curbed rural domination of state legislatures.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
John 1:43-51	Matthew 9:35-10:15	Luke 5:1-11

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mark 4:1-20	Acts 8:26-40	John 9:13-25

Saturday	Acts 7:54-8:8
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Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study & Praise
Winter 6:00 p.m.
Summer 7:00 p.m.

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Handbell Choir 6:30 p.m.
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Editor's Mailbox

Feb. 24, 1986

To: Editor
Detroit Free Press

Dear Sir:
I have long been a reader of the Detroit Free Press, but that may soon change. A large group of people of which I am affiliated are spending large amounts of their personal money to fight an issue that Mr. Tom Opre has unfairly used his position as a sports writer to push. The issue being No Kill Fishing on the prime stretch of the AuSable River main stream in Crawford County. Mr. Opre's lopsided, editorial, often very inaccurate articles have served to shade and propagate the

institution of regulations on this very beautiful river.

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During Kinsora's eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

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Hatfield has held many positions in production and engineering over the years. His first job in 1951 was in the bow press area and he is currently Supervisor of Finished Goods and Raw Materials.

Mr. Bear presented Hatfield with a personalized Fred Bear Signature Bow in honor of the occasion.

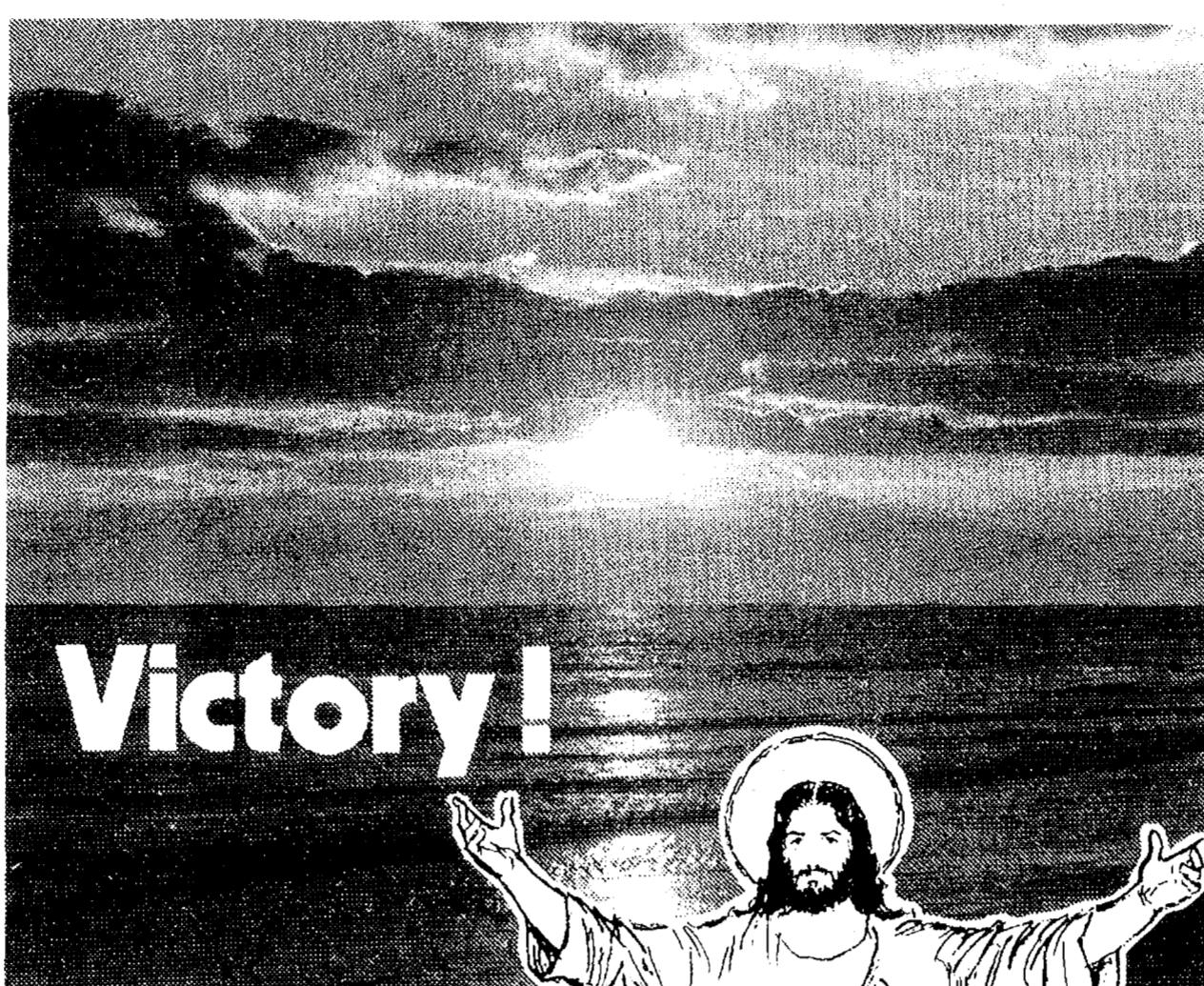
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John 1:43-51	Matthew 9:35-10:15	Luke 5:1-11

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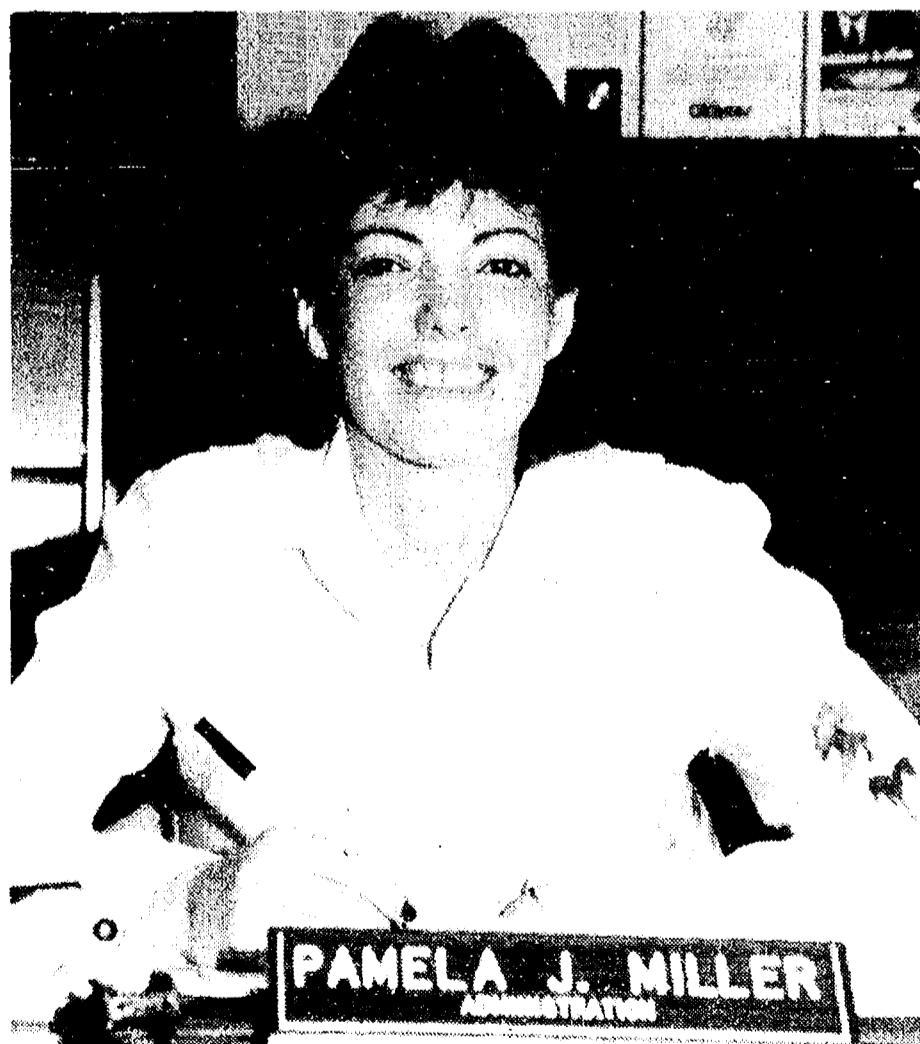
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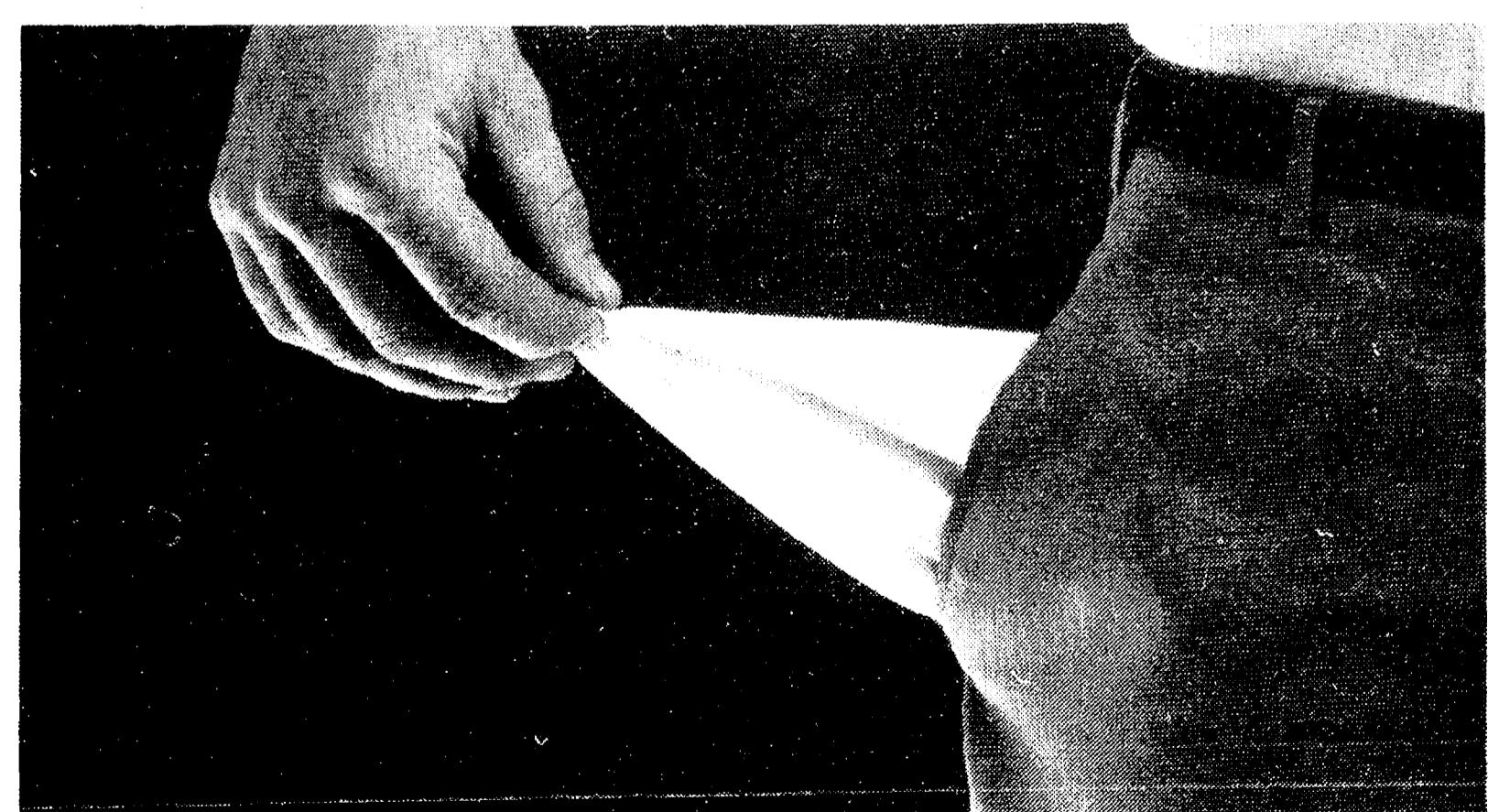
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Further, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of April, 1986, at 10:00 in the forenoon at the main front door of the County Building, Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered, for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with interest thereon at 13 per cent, together with legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows: Lands and premises situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, viz.

PARCEL 1: Part of the W 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 25, T28N, R3W, Commencing at the SW corner of said Section 25, thence S89°58' E (along the Section line) 250 ft. to the P.O.B., thence N1°13'W 50 ft.; thence N1°13'W 268 ft.; thence N89°58'W 50 ft. to the edge of the County Road; thence N1°13'W (along County Road) 73.0 ft.; thence S89°58' E 256 ft.; thence N1°13'W 30.8 ft.; thence S89°58' E 362.0 ft. to the East line of the W 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 25; thence S1°13'W 895.8 ft.; thence N89°58'W 409.5 ft. to the P.O.B.; also:

PARCEL 2: Starting at the SW corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 25, T28N, R3W; thence N1°08'W 724 ft. (through the middle of the County Road) for a point of beginning; thence S89°35' E, 300 ft.; thence N1°08'W 68 ft.; thence N89°35' W, 300 ft.; thence S1°08'W 68 ft. to the point of beginning. Subject to restrictions, reservations and easements of record.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount bid at the sale, plus interest thereon at 13 per cent, and any fees, taxes, or other unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

The property shall be offered for sale in parcels or in total.

CHEMICAL BANK NORTH As Successor/Assignee of NORTHERN NATIONAL BANK, Mortgagee WILLIAM L. CAREY (P31602) Attorney for Chemical Bank North P.O. Drawer 665 Grayling, Michigan 49738 Telephone (517) 348-5232 -20-27-3-10

Editor's Quote Book

There can be no rainbow without a cloud and a storm.

J. H. Vincent

Notice of Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 30th day of June, 1981, by Arthur R. Griffin and Helen Griffin, husband and wife, as mortgagors(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagor, and recorded on June 30, 1981, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of Twenty Five Thousand One Hundred Four Dollars and 23 Cents (\$25,104.23), plus interest and other allowable costs;

Further, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of April, 1986, at 10:00 in the forenoon at the main front door of the County Building, Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered, for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with interest thereon at 13 per cent, together with legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on May 1, 1986 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front Steps (East Side) of Court House in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford (File No.: 84-6-874-CH) against Defendants M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank, in favor of Plaintiff Kidde Recreation Products, Inc. The Court having ordered Defendants to pay Plaintiffs all sums due under a Land Contract dated October 1, 1979 or the real property secured by said indebtedness may be sold at public auction by the Crawford County Clerk to satisfy the amount adjudged to Plaintiff.

Defendants, M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank having failed to pay Plaintiff and there remaining unpaid the sum of ONE MILLION FIFTY EIGHT THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED NINETY ONE AND 15/100 (\$1,068,591.15) DOLLARS together with accrued interest at 10.5% per annum from December 31, 1985 and no other civil action or suit preceding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover said debt.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the order of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford and pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 16, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Crawford County Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within said County) the real property described herein will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due aforesaid, and any sum which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said property, and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon, and all legal costs and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, which premises are described as follows:

Part of the S 1/4 of Section 7, T26N, R3W, City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan. Commencing at the SW corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of said Section 7, thence S1°21'W, 17.25 ft. to the S'ly R/W of State Highway M-72 and M-93, thence N45°45'E, 340.00 ft.; thence N44°21'E, 105.3 ft.; thence N45°56'E, 224.8 ft. to the P.O.B., thence S50°14'E, 411.00 ft.; thence N64°34'E, 271.95 ft.; thence N88°17'E, 286.90 ft.; thence S45°49'E, 30.40 ft.; thence S2°07'E, 203.70 ft. to the bank of the Au Sable River; thence S68°05'E (along said bank), 65.71 ft.; thence N44°07'E, 388.66 ft.; thence N45°49'W, 710.00 ft.; thence S44°07'W, 273.00 ft.; thence N45°49'W, 270.21 ft. to the S'ly R/W of State Highway M-72 and M-93 thence S39°41'W, 494.7 ft., to the P.O.B.

Defendants, M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank, their successors and assigns or any person lawfully claiming from or under them, shall within six months from the date of the aforesaid judicial sale be entitled to redeem the entire premises sold, by paying to the purchaser, his executors, administrators, successors or assigns, or to the Register of Deeds in whose office the Deed is deposited for the benefit of said purchaser, the sum of which was bid therefore, with interest from the time of the sale at a rate of percent born by the judgment plus any other sums required to be paid by law.

KIDDE CREATION PRODUCTS, INC. Jennings and Turkelson P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiffs P.O. Box 67, 152 N. 4th West Branch, Mich. 48661 -6-13-20-27-3-10

Notice of Sale

On Partition

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an Order of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, dated the 7th day of February, 1986, directing me to sell the property described below, I shall, on the 16th day of April, 1986, at 10:00 a.m. at public auction to be held at the County Building in the city of Grayling in said County, offer for sale to the highest bidder the following premises:

Land in the township of Frederic, County of Crawford State of Michigan described as: All that part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 35 T28N, R4W lying West of the D & C Railroad.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the above order, the terms of sale shall be as follows: The said premises shall be sold for not less than \$4,375.00; that the buyer pay at least \$684.16 cash at the time of sale, and pay the balance in cash within 30 days thereafter or in the form of a land contract payable to the Plaintiffs upon such terms as shall be agreeable to the Plaintiffs.

Dated: February 27, 1986 Elizabeth H. Wieland Crawford County Clerk Bernard J. Casper Attorney for Plaintiffs 2258 Old U.S. 27 South P.O. Box 1214 Gaylord, MI 49735 517/732-6265 -6-13-20-27-3-10

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now existing on the premises.

AND a parcel of land 100 feet by 183 feet bounded by and included within a line as follows: Commencing at a point on the centerline of Old M-93, 320.5 feet Southwesterly of the intersection of said Old M-93 with the North line of the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W; thence Northwesterly 183 feet; thence Southwesterly at right angles 183 feet; thence Northeast at right angles 50 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of that part of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W lying Northwesterly of Old M-93 as

the redemption period from this sale shall expire six (6) months from the date of sale.

Dated: February 19, 1986

ROY M. BENAWAY
By: ROY M. BENAWAY
(P10660)
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Notice of Sale

JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE having been entered by the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford (File No.: 84-6-874-CH) against Defendants M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank, in favor of Plaintiff Kidde Recreation Products, Inc. The Court having ordered Defendants to pay Plaintiffs all sums due under a Land Contract dated October 1, 1979 or the real property secured by said indebtedness may be sold at public auction by the Crawford County Clerk to satisfy the amount adjudged to Plaintiff.

That property located in the County of Crawford in the State of Michigan. Land Situated in the Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan, described as follows:

The East 1/4 of the North 1/4 of the North 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 10, Town 27 North, Range 4 West. The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 13% interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

Dated: March 19, 1986.

For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 S. Harrison Road, East Lansing, MI 48823, mortgagee.

-20-27-3-10

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For
The County of Crawford
File No. 85-1214-CH (D)
JOHANNES J. JORGESON AND MARY JANE JORGESON, husband and wife, Plaintiffs,

vs.
CHERYL L. LOZON, Defendant.

LAW OFFICES OF
ROY M. BENAWAY
By: ROY M. BENAWAY
(P10660)
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NOTICE OF SALE
OF REAL ESTATE
ON FORECLOSURE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to a Default Judgment of Foreclosure containing order of sale entered by the 46th Circuit Court of Crawford County, Michigan, on February 18, 1986, in favor of Johannes J. Jorgenson and Mary Jane Jorgenson, and against Cheryl L. Lozon, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction to be held at the County Clerk's Office located in the County Building, City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that being the place of holding the circuit court in said county, on the 14th day of April, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate:

Land situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land 50 feet by 183 feet bounded by and included within a line as follows: Commencing at a point on the centerline of Old M-93 which is 270.5 feet Southwesterly of the intersection of the North line of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W, with said centerline of Old M-93; thence Northwesterly 183 feet; thence Southwesterly at right angles 183 feet; thence Northeast at right angles 50 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of that part of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W lying Northwesterly of Old M-93 as

the time of sale, and pay the balance in cash within 30 days thereafter or in the form of a land contract payable to the Plaintiffs upon such terms as shall be agreeable to the Plaintiffs.

Dated: February 27, 1986

Elizabeth H. Wieland
Crawford County Clerk
Bernard J. Casper
Attorney for Plaintiffs
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Notice of Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain

mortgage made on the 9th day of

September, 1983, by James A. Franke, as Mortgagor, to

NORTHERN NATIONAL BANK (CHEMICAL BANK NORTH, Successor/Assignee), of Grayling, Michigan, Mortgagor, and recorded on the 14th day of September, 1983 in Liber 218, Pages 469-472, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of Twenty Five Thousand One Hundred Four Dollars and 23 Cents (\$25,104.23), plus interest and other allowable costs;

Further, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of April, 1986, at 10:00 in the forenoon at the main front door of the County Building, Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered, for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with interest thereon at 13 per cent, together with legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

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That property located in the

County of Crawford in the

State of Michigan. Land Situated in the

Township of Frederic, Crawford

County, Michigan, described as follows:

The East 1/4 of the North 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 10, Town 27 North, Range 4 West. The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 13% interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

Dated: March 19, 1986

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**Community Calendar of Events**

Mar. 21-22 - Rotary Minstrel Show - High School
 Mar. 26 - Red Cross Blood Bank - High School - 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
 Mar. 27 - Easter Egg Hunt - Frederic Elementary School 10:00 a.m.
 Mar. 28 - Good Friday
 Mar. 30 - Happy Easter
 Apr. 12-13 - Expo 86 Trade Show - Hanson Hills
 Apr. 13 - Arts Council Showcase [local Talent] Chief Shop-penagons Hotel
 Apr. 13 - Senior Citizen's Party - 80 yrs. old or older - St. Mary's Family Center 1:00-4:30 p.m.
 Apr. 14 - St. Mary's Fashion Show - Family Center 7:30 p.m.

Phone in your public events to:
348-2921.

GRAYLING Regional Chamber of Commerce

Tickets Available For Hartford Concert at KCC

Tickets are still available for this Saturday's John Hartford concert at the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium at Kirtland Community College. Curtain time is 8 p.m., with the box office opening at 7 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased at Roscommon Hardware, Higgins Lake True Value Hardware, Flowers by Josie in Grayling, Kirtland Community College Bookstore through Thursday. After Thursday, they will be available at the box office prior to the show. Tickets are \$7.50 in advance, and \$8.50 at the door.

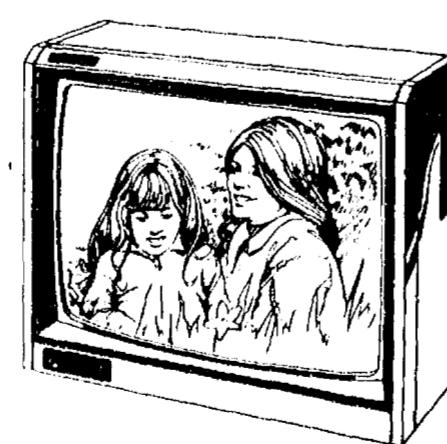
For more information, call Kirtland Community College at 275-5121.

**10th Anniversary****Grayling****Rotary Clubs****Minstrel Show****Friday and Saturday
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Bowling Leagues**PIONEER LEAGUE**

1. Millikin Construction 31
 2. Terry & Dave's 31
 3. Avalanche 24
 4. Cornell Agency 25
 5. Chemical Bank North 18
 6. Main Street Florals 17
 7. Dawsons 10
 8. Skip's Sport Shop 10
 High Game: A. Moore 193, J. Hinds & F. Brooks 186, V. Wakefield 183.
 High Series: J. Hinds 529, M. Perez 520, A. Moore 517.

AMERICAN 2nd DIV.

1. Scheer Motors 26
 2. McLeans Promart 24
 3. Glen's 21
 4. Patty's 21
 5. Legion 19²
 6. Chair's 19²
 7. M.C.M. 12²
 8. Wilts 12
 High Game: L. Davis 245, D. Wiltz 225, C. Wheeler 216.
 High Series: L. Davis 624, K. Helsen 562, C. Wheeler 588.

TRIANGLE LEAGUE

1. Straits Corp. 122²
 2. Airway Automation 110
 3. Kamph's Frash & Gbge 106
 4. Davis Jewelers 105²
 5. Jack the Tinner 104
 6. Glen's Market 91
 7. Parsons Advertising 70
 8. 59
 High Game: D. Williams 237, P. Kamph 214, B. Holborn 206.
 High Series: G. Wolfe 598, B. Wisin 560, K. Moore 547.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON FUN L.

1. Spikes Keg O' Nails 33
 2. Dee's Ice 28²
 3. Kamph's 28²
 4. Grayling Restaurant 27
 5. Grayling Moose 25²
 6. Legion Lanes 24
 7. Video Room 23²
 8. Shoppenagons 18
 High Series: M. Harwood 518, B. Wilson 514, G. Ashton 507.
 High Game: T. McLanahan 201, K. Southard 193, M. Harwood 182.
 High Series: L. Hetrick 537, M. L. Porter & T. Papendick 475, M. J. Youngs 477.
 High Game: L. Hetrick 188 & 187, P. Harwood 183, M. L. Porter 172.

SENIOR CITIZENS

1. Cornell Ins. 57²
 2. Promart 55
 3. Great Lakes 52
 4. Flowers by Josie 50²
 5. Greenbush Tavern 50
 6. Larry & Joan's 47
 7. Chemical Bank 45²
 8. R & H Sports 42²
 High Series: G. Wolfe 550, E. Klug 532, L. Gunton 497.
 High Game: D. Farmer 205, E. Klug 201, G. Wolfe 195.
 High Series: B. Pryor 529, D. Bollinger 451, V. Middleton 449.
 High Game: B. Pryor 188, E. DeRousha 183, M. Frankenfels 182.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

1. Bubbles Belles 31
 2. K & K Masonry 29
 3. Fred's Auto Body 25²
 4. Laurines 23²
 5. Legion Rollers 23
 6. Helsen's Firewood 22
 7. Grayling Floor Covering 20
 8. Rochette's IGA 18
 High Game: M. Holzman 217, M. Cragg 204, S. Phillips 203.
 High Series: S. Phillips 532, B. Fletchier 520, J. Hinds 505.

RECREATION LEAGUE

1. Oxbow Club 55²
 2. John's Hallmark 54²
 3. Legion Rollers 53
 4. Bay City Times 52
 5. Timberview 50²
 6. Holiday Inn 49
 7. Irishman's Shanty 47²
 8. Grayling State Bank 47²
 9. Bear's Country Inn 47
 10. North Central Erectors 46
 11. Grayling Powers 46
 12. Wurtsmith Credit Union 46
 13. Fabiano Bros. 45
 14. Fabiano Bros. 45
 15. Northern Vending 43
 16. Scheer Motors 42
 High Game: N. Glassliss 213, P. Pittman 195, J. Hinds 190.
 High Series: J. Hinds 549, N. Glassliss 515, R. Ouellette 492.

THURS. MORNING COFFEE L.

1. Spike's Keg O' Nails 31
 2. Farson's Advertising 28
 3. K & K Masonry 25²
 4. Women of the Moose 19²
 5. North Central Erectors 19
 6. Silly Sam's Milk Shoppe 19
 7. Maxi Muffler 17²
 8. Grayling Floor Covering 16²
 High Game: B. Walker 199, K. Mosher 189, M. Hellebuck 187.
 High Series: K. Mosher 515, B. Walker 500, B. Wheeler 494.

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Bits by Fay

Mrs. Teresa Furst and daughters, Amy and Sarah were in Barryton on March 4 to help Teresa's grandmother, Mrs. Bernice Williams, celebrate her 80th birthday which fell on Monday, March 3. The birthday celebration was held at Mrs. Williams' home with her family.

Dave and Shelley Lovley arrived home Sunday from a two-week Florida vacation. They visited his parents, Leo and Edith Lovley, in Hudson and her grandparents, John and Frances Fick, in Bradenton.

Bob and Eileen Chappell and Mary Jane Knibbs were in Petoskey on Saturday to help their granddaughter, Andrea Knibbs, celebrate her second birthday which was on March 14. Andrea is the daughter of Jim and Cindy Knibbs.

Mary Jane Knibbs spent the previous weekend in Ann Arbor visiting her daughter and family, Michael and Nancy Elliott and son, Michael.

Among the out-of-town guests who attended Robert McIntosh's retirement dinner on Saturday evening, March 15, were former Grayling residents, Ken and Letha Montague. They have recently moved to Ludington where he was transferred from Petoskey and her friends will be happy to know that she has returned to college working toward a nursing degree at West Shore Community College. She told us that son, Scott, is managing a McDonald's in San Diego for former Grayling resident, Bob Sutherland. Franz Kersch, is also employed in the same capacity there.

Mrs. Inez Crosby of Fairgrove spent the weekend with Millie Crosby. They were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Metiva.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors who have helped us since the passing of our loved one, Rev. Jerry Huber. A special thanks to Pastor and Mrs. Knesel and our Church Family. May God richly bless you.

Marilyn Huber & Children

To Ask Senior Citizens Survey

Area senior citizens are being asked to complete a one-page survey form developed by the Senior Citizen Committee, a sub-committee of the Community Health Promotion Council, throughout the month of March.

The Community Health Promotion Council is a newly formed group of individuals from the community who believe in wellness and health promotion for all ages. The purpose of the Senior Citizen Committee is to identify senior citizen needs in the area of health promotion and develop ways to assist in meeting those needs.

The short survey form will help the committee identify the needs of senior citizens in Crawford, Roscommon, Missaukee, and Wexford counties. Distribution sites for the Senior Citizen Survey are: Roscommon County Health Dept., Blood Pressure Clinics; Northern Michigan Health Services Clinics; Roscommon County Senior Centers; Grayling Senior Center; selected sites in Missaukee County; Mercy Hospital, Cadillac, and Mercy Hospital, Grayling; and North Central Community Mental Health. All surveys need to be returned to the appropriate distribution site by March 31.

Results of the survey will be shared with area senior citizens during the month of June.

For further information about the senior needs assessment survey, contact Mary Anne VanOosterhout, temporary chairperson of the Senior Citizen Committee, at 422-5148.

Shake The Salt Habit

The M.S.U. Cooperative Extension Service is sponsoring a program for those interested in reducing their sodium intake. Shake the Salt Habit will be presented on Wednesday, March 26, 1986 at 1:30 p.m. at the Courthouse basement in Grayling. This educational program will feature information on how to recognize hidden sodium in foods, how to prepare tasty foods without salt and the link between sodium and hypertension. There will be a variety of handouts and some free taste-testing of low sodium foods. There is no cost for the program. To register or for more information call the Cooperative Extension Service Office at 348-2841 ext. 264. Cooperative Extension Service Programs are open to all without regard to race, color, sex, handicap or national origin.

This drama, written by Henry Denker, well-known New York playwright, also shows the transformation of Peter from a boastful coward who denies his master to Peter, the "rock." The film stars Broadway actor Richard Kiley.

"Mercy Matters"

By Sister Mary Ellen Howard, RSM
 President and Chief Executive Officer
 Mercy Hospital, Grayling

During recent months representatives from Mercy have been meeting with area ambulance providers to discuss the possibility of furthering their training to provide better care during ambulance trips to the hospital. Area Basic EMTs (Emergency Medical Technicians) would be offered the limited advanced training sessions at Mercy in order to become EMT Specialists, one level higher than the Basic EMT. Two main advantages of the specialized training would be the EMT's ability to provide airway control and fluid replacement for those patients who need this enroute to the hospital.

Most ambulance corps members in Crawford County are trained as Basic EMT's, and provide valuable service to county residents as volunteers. Local ambulance corps members continue to further their training on a volunteer basis, and Mercy Hospital is proud to offer the limited advanced training for interested EMT's in the county.

Last year an estimated 206 residents could have benefited from the more specialized services enroute to the hospital's emergency room. For example, a heart attack victim may require both intravenous therapy and endotracheal intubation, two procedures an EMT Specialist could administer to the patient. With these advanced techniques the patient would arrive at the hospital in a more stabilized condition...and could even save a life. A victim who lives a further distance from Mercy would particularly benefit from the more advanced care offered by the EMT Specialist.

Besides airway control and fluid replacement, EMT Specialists also have an increased understanding and training in anatomy and physiology, medical emergencies, psychiatric emergencies, shock and trauma. Also, the area ambulance crews would be asked to upgrade their radio equipment so communication between Mercy's emergency room physician and the crew would be enhanced. Eventually the hospital would like to sponsor a program for the Level III EMT Paramedic, another step up from the EMT Specialist.

Chamber Chatter

By Terry Wright

I recently had the opportunity to spend several hours with the Chamber Director from Frankenmuth and what he told me was truly amazing.

The Frankenmuth Chamber serves a population base of about 10,000 people like the Grayling region. There are slightly more than 400 businesses in Frankenmuth, about the same as Grayling. That's where the similarity ends. Ninety-two percent of all the businesses in Frankenmuth belong to their Chamber of Commerce. In Grayling less than 50% belong. Frankenmuth has 400 Associate members who are individuals, not business people, that care about prosperity in their town. Grayling has 20 Associate members. Frankenmuth Chamber members invest twice as much in their memberships as do Grayling members. Because of all these reasons the Frankenmuth Chamber has a budget more than six times larger than ours.

The Frankenmuth Chamber is supported by their community and that's one very large reason that they are mid-Michigan's No. 1 boomtown. But, tourism cannot survive on chicken dinners and Christmas ornaments alone. Any other area could prosper just as much with everyone working together, even Grayling and Crawford County.

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

	March	High	Low	Snow on Ground
11	47	18	19.0	
12	45	12	18.5	
13	35	28	18.0	
14	40	30	17.5	